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Pet. Centre, Wednesday November 29

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ed to all.

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D. PATTON, Pastor.

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In accordance with the time honored
custom no paper will be issued from this of-
fice to-morrow.

NOTICE.

Our Office will be closed on Thanksgiv-
ing day Nov. 30th.

GEO. H. BISSELL & CO.

To-morrow is the day set apart by the
President of the nation, and the Governors
of nearly all the States, as a day of thanks-
giving and prayer, to the Master of Life, for
the manifold blessings showered upon us as a
people. It is meet and proper that the day
should be observed by all. During the past
year our harvests have been plenty; altho'
anticipated by many, that dread scourge
the Asiatic cholera has not visited our
shores, and the year has been one of almost
unexampled prosperity in the history of the
country. Locusts have been visited with
disease; the great city of Chicago was de-
vastated by the fire flood; the States of the
Northwest suffered from a like calamity;
various minor disasters have visited differ-
ent sections, but while these calamities have
caused much misery and suffering to indi-
viduals and communities upon whom they
have fallen, Providence has mercifully
spared us from greater evils which have be-
fallen other lands, and the noble generous
heart of the American people responded
liberally in alleviating the distress of the
sufferers by fire and flood.

Our own town has been visited by fire
during the past year, and while the loss fell
heavily upon our business men and citizens
generally, they were not disheartened, but
commenced rebuilding at once, and to-day
the business interests of the place are in a
flourishing and prosperous condition. For
this we have reason to be thankful.

While we are seated round the family
board to-morrow, partaking of the good
things showered upon us by the Mas-
ter of Life, let us not forget those who
have been less favored; who have had hard
and bitter struggles to "keep the wolf from
their doors"; who see nothing before them
but the near approach of a long winter, and
no money to buy bread to keep life in their
starving bodies, or coal to keep out the pit-
iless biting "winds of December." They
have little reason to be thankful, therefore
let us who are able make the heart of some
poor man or woman glad for one day at
least by giving liberally in their aid.

As the Dutchman would say we hope ev-
erybody in general and the rest of mankind
may have a "pully dime" and lots of roast
turkey and fixings.

Our old friend, Tom Brown, agent for
the Marston & Stone Dramatic Alliance, is
engaged in hitting the town for that celebra-
ted company, who appear at Sobel's Opera
House, for a three nights engagement, on
Monday, Dec. 11.

NATURAL GAS.—We find in the Pittsburgh
Gazette this description of a gaslighted
house in Palmyra, Ohio:

I visited the residence of General Casem-
ent. It is both lighted and heated by
natural gas. A well was sunk about seven
hundred feet from which flows the gas. It
is sufficient to supply eight fires, light all
the house and the yard beside. I sat by
one of the fires. It was of an open place,
and had the appearance of an old fashioned
log fire. The flame is increased or dimin-
ished at pleasure, by simply touching a
valve. It is a delightful fire, making a
bright light and an intense heat. Nothing
is required to start it save the touch of a
match. It makes no ashes, no dust, no
dirt—a blessed thing for house-keepers.

Gas has been discovered at Corry and per-
haps oil. Oil and gas both are found east of
us in Carrollton, Cattaraugus county, and oil
has been found north-east of us in York-
shire. In drilling the well on the Cassada-
ga, five miles below here, some gas was
found. Why not organize a company to ex-
periment in drilling for gas. We believe
with a little exertion a company could be
organized with capital sufficient to thor-
oughly test the matter. Gas was found in
Buffalo at 650 feet.—Jamestown Jour.

Society and Fashion.

The new round hat is called the Alexis
Lace is very fashionable on black cash-
meres.

The basque waist is now quite in the as-
cendant.

The short apron front for overskirts is
still the fashionable style.

Ponson's new black velvet for garments
costs from eleven dollars to twelve dollars a
yard.

Black is the prevailing color for dresses in
Paris, dark blue for the fastidious.

New clothes for wraps have a diagonal
twill—like serge—and are as soft as cash-
mere.

The "Beatrice," "Marguerite" and the
stylish "Mousquetaire" are the favorite
polonaises.

There will be a Union Thanksgiving
Service held at the Presbyterian Church,
to-morrow, 30th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m.—
Come one and all and let us have a good
old fashioned thanksgiving. The closing of
shops and stores for an hour or two will
make us no poorer a year from now. And
thus together we can meet and thank the
God and Giver of all blessings for his good-
ness to us. J. W. T.

The Original Georgia Minstrels Slave
Troupe will give one of their unique enter-
tainments, at the Opera House, on Friday
evening. These are the genuine Georgia
Minstrels, and have just completed a tour of
Europe, where they appeared before the
royal families of Great Britain, Germany
and other countries, and are now returning
from a successful western tour. The novelty
of a troupe composed entirely of colored
men, together with the fact that they are
first class artists, will undoubtedly draw a
crowded house. Go and see them.

Messrs. Schonblom, Thompson and others
of the leading business men of the place,
will close their business places to-morrow,
between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.
This is a good movement, as it enables their
employees to have a large portion of the
day to themselves.

Remember the party at the Oil Exchange
Hotel, to-morrow evening. A good time
may be expected.

Respecting that man who boasted at a
Western camp-meeting that he had never
given his wife a cross word or look during
their twenty-five years of married life. It is
suggested that it may be not so much the re-
sult of amiability on the husband's part as a
wholesome dread of his wife's broomstick.

In his lecture in Boston, Theodore Tilton
said a nation without divorce was a nation
without virtue. France, he remarked, had
no ground for divorce, and she was the most
licentious nation in the universe. Prussia
had twelve grounds for divorce, and she
was the most virtuous nation in Europe.—
South Carolina had no divorce, and she
rots. Massachusetts had seven grounds for
divorce, was the queen of the realm.

The sinking of the city of Scranton has
been exaggerated.

A western "patient" has named his first-
born Horace Greeley.

Harrisburg has got a new paper called the
Evening Mercury.

Mormons do a great deal of marrying,
but they evidently don't like court-ing.

The height of imprudence—taking shelter
from the rain in an umbrella shop.

A young lady translates the C. O. D. on
express packages into Call on Dad.

No wonder that egotists find the world so
ugly they only see themselves in it.

A wholesale house advertises: "Wanted
—Wagon to sell on commission."

A stranger recently entered a store in
Bellet, Maine, and asked the proprietor if
he had any demand against a certain per-
son. The merchant, after some time, re-
collected some old notes for small amounts
which he had laid aside as worthless. Up-
on hunting them up the stranger counted out
the money, principal and interest for
fifteen years. He had contracted the debts
when a young man, and being unable to pay
them he went to California, where he re-
mained till a few weeks ago, and had been
successful in business; and on his return his
first care had been to look up his old credi-
tor.

Some thirty years ago the English news-
paper used to be full of mad doings of a
man named Edward Jones, who, at that time
fell in love with Queen Victoria, and used
to enter forcibly the royal residences—some-
times going down the chimneys—that he might
get a glimpse on the royal countenance. A
week or two ago he died in a wretched Lon-
don hotel. To get rid of the amorous in-
truder he was shipped off to Australia, from
which land he returned about five years
since, with his tender passion still burning
in his bosom, altho' the lady has grown old
and fat, and is a grandmother. Being sud-
denly told by somebody, who probably did
not know his feelings, that Her Majesty was
hopelessly ill, Edward Jones took to his bed
and speedily expired. This is one of the
most singular cases of monomania on record.

Covington has a colored debating society.
The other night an argumentative citizen,
named Henry Graves, rose to a point of or-
der. Jake Brooks, another colored brother,
ruled him out. Graves wouldn't be ruled
out, and he rose to another point of or-
der with his knife open, slitting Jakey from
chin to waistband. The chairman decided
the question in the affirmative and disap-
peared through a window-sash.—[Sav.
News.

The last version of the G. Washington
story: A youthful hen found an egg, and,
yielding to the maternal instinct, sat upon
it until the process of incubation was com-
plete. Her mother who had laid the egg
and had taken great pains in shading and
coloring it, came along, and seeing only the
broken shell, burst into tears and said:
"Alas, my daughter, who has destroyed my
favorite egg?" The feathered offspring
quickly responded: "I cannot tell a lie,
mother; I cannot tell a lie, I did it with my
little hatch it."

A Gloucester man, moved by the expres-
sions of sympathy over the losses of Chicago
by the fire and New Bedford by ice, puts in
a word for his own town. During the last
decade he says it has met with constant
misfortunes from fires, captures during the
rebellion, and the annual losses in the fish-
ing fleet. In three years the losses by the
sinking fleet aggregated sixty vessels and
three hundred and seventy-three lives; and
this out of a town having but 12,000 to 15,000
inhabitants, with the lowest valuation
per capital, almost, to be found in Massa-
chusetts.

The Woman Suffrage Bazar offers \$5, \$10
and \$15 for the three best conundrums.—
How does it affect men to oppose the ballot
for woman? Converts them from male into
mules. Fifteen dollars.—Boston Post.

A correspondent who visited Vinnie Ream
in her studio, describes her as working
"with her arms bare to the shoulders, and
her ankles likewise." Good gracious!

NOTES OF THE DAY.

Opelika, Ga., has a colored Weston.

Texas now ships dried beef to Europe.
A powerful stationary engine—The pea.
Potterville, Penn., calls loudly for mission-
aries.

The Marquis of Lorne writes sweet, pret-
ty verses.

Philadelphia has an aggravated case of Bor-
gias.

Charles Kingsley considers history as
"largely a lie."

Ashbury can't get over it. He is about
to build a new yacht, and tempt fortune
again.

The women who are clamoring to be
taught anatomy had far better learn how to
carve.—[Punch.

An Indiana editor says: "We leave to-
morrow for the country hog show, and hope
to take the prize."

During breakfast a Californian shot her
brother-in-law's head off, and then serenely
finished her coffee.

The Washington Territory convicts have
drawn up resolutions to the effect that if,
they are not furnished with tobacco they will
feel impelled to leave the prison.

A Louisville ball broke up so late that no
conveyances could be procured. The feet of
the dancers were too swollen to walk, so the
beaux and belles trudged home barefoot.

A Titusville paper, criticising the perform-
ance of Miss Thompson's troupe, speaks of
"Lydian melodies falling from the lips of
the blendes like pearls from the mouth of a
Tupaloosa clam."

Local Notices.

S. M. Pettengill & Co. 37
Park Row, New York and Geo F. Howell & Co
Advertising Agents, are the sole agents for the Pa-
trolium (Sawyer Dairy Record) in that city. Ad-
vertisers in that city are requested to leave their
orders with either of the above houses

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DEPT. The following is a list of Newspapers
and gazettes which will be furnished at Club
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Scientific American, Harper's Bazar,
Tomorrow's Democrat, Harper's Monthly,
New York Bulletin, Weeklies or Semi-Weeklies,
Frank Leslie's Illustrated, Chimney Corner,
Hoffm. Hall's or Weeklies, Leslie's Pictorial Book,
14-16 Burg Hall or Weeklies, Bore & Girls Weekly,
Oil City Bulletin, N.Y. Ledger,
Titusville Bulletin & Weeklies, Saturday Night,
Home Circle,
Health & Home, N.Y. Citizen,
West's World, Moore's Rural New Yorker,
True Spirit, God's Wife's Book,
Trav. Mag., Musical Monthly of L. kinds,
Atlantic Monthly, Ocean Monthly,
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Electric Monthly, Galaxy, &c

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at GRIFFES BROS.

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New styles Gloves
at ALDEN'S.

New stock of Winter Clothing
at ALDEN'S

The America Cook Stove at
GORDON'S.

LIVE AND LET LIVE!
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benefit of the advance. I will sell goods
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ine prices and stock.

S. SOBEL,
Petroleum Centre, Nov. 28th—1m.

Administrators Notice.

WHEREAS, Letters of Administration on
the Estate of EDWIN VAUGHN, de-
ceased, late of Petroleum Centre, have been
granted to the Subscriber, all persons having
claims are requested to present the same,
and all persons indebted are requested to
make settlements without delay.
Mrs. MARIA C. VAUGHN,
nov. 24-6w Pearson Farm.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing un-
der the firm name of M. L. Bates & Co., re-
finers of crude petroleum, at Petroleum Cen-
tre, Pa., is this day dissolved by mutual
consent, E. D. Fisher and M. L. Bates re-
tiring. The business will hereafter be con-
ducted by George Stevens under the old
name of the Monitor Oil Works.
E. D. FISHER,
M. L. BATES,
GEO. STEVENS,
Dated Petroleum Centre, Nov. 14, 1871.
nov. 15-3m

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Piano Case, (the best manufactured), Price,
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aug 29-tf. R. H. SARGENT.

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Apples! Apples!
Just received one hundred barrels of the
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barrels of our best CIDER—the best that
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Nov 7 tf H. H. WARNER.

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The undersigned Lecture Committee of the
Y. M. C. A., of Petroleum Centre, have the honor to
announce the following list of Lectures for this
season:

The Committee will supply the subjects and the
dates, where they are not given below, as soon as
they can be definitely ascertained.
PETROLEUM V. N. ABT, "The Mission of
Christianity," Nov. 10th.
Rev. WM B. COLLINS, Appearance, Rev. W.
JUDSON KILPATRICK, Dec 28d, "Barnes
March to the Sea."
JOSEPH BILLINGS, Dec 14
Rev. W. W. PARSONS.

Correspondence to be held with WORLD
GRIFFES, WENDELL, PHILIPPS, FRED BORG-
LASS, MARK TWAIN, and others.
By Order of Lecture Committee.
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oct 28-tf

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Dentistry.

DR. W. H. REYNOLD

of Houssville, will be at the McClintock Hotel,
Petroleum Centre, Pa., for the purpose of practicing
Dentistry in all its branches, on MONDAY, NOV-
EMBER, 1871, and will remain six days.
Hereafter he will be at this place one week
each month.
Everything pertaining to the practice of Dentistry
will be executed with neatness and dispatch and
warranted to give satisfaction.
nov 23-1m. W. H. REYNOLD

Take Notice.

All accounts not Settled

by 12 of December will be

handed in for Collection.

J. H. SUTHERLAND,
Petroleum Centre, Nov 31-tf.