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REV. P. W. SCOFIELD, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7½ o'clock P. M.

D. PATTON, Pastor.

Gold at 1 p. m. 109⅛

The excursion of the Odd Fellows of this place and Rouseville to Oil City last evening, was a perfect success in every particular. A special train had been secured from the gentlemanly officers of the O. C. & A. R. R., which left this place at about 7 o'clock, and, taking up on the way the brethren of the Columbia Farm and Rouseville, together with the famous Columbia Cornet Band, arrived at their destination in time to join Oil City Lodge, No 589, in their opening ceremonies, that being their "regular meeting night." By special invitation the members of Conplanter Lodge were also present, making in all four Lodges congregated in one hall. The visitors were welcomed in happy style by N. G. Dimond, and as the visit was intened to be for a wholly social purpose, all present, (and the hall was crowded as such halls seldom are), entered fully into the spirit of the occasion. Two or three hours were very pleasantly spent in a manner to be appreciated only by those who have enjoyed such privileges, and it was with difficulty that the N. G. could prevail upon the brethren to adjourn to administer to the wants of the physical man. He finally succeeded, however, and escorted by their generous hosts, the guests were marched off to the National and American Hotels, where a collation well worthy of the Oil City brethren and the respective hosts of the houses above mentioned, was served up to, and partaken of by the hungry visitors. Supper over, after a few choice pieces of music, such as only the C. C. B. can produce, the excursionists boarded their train and started for their homes, reaching this place at a little after midnight, every one voting that it had been good for them to be there.

Remember Hon. Wm. Parsons lectures at Sobel's Opera House, this evening.

Bibles and Prayer Books suitable for all denominations at Nicholson's.

At about 3 o'clock this morning a painful accident happened to Mr. James Reed, an employee of the Niagara Oil Company, on Cherrytree Run, by which he wholly lost one toe, and had another broken. In attempting to put an engine in motion, he, it is supposed, placed his right foot on the fly wheel and took hold of the wheel with his hands in order to turn the engine "over the centre." In doing this his left foot slipped on the icy floor and was immediately drawn between the wheel and the floor, through a space not more than half an inch in width, in consequence of which the fourth toe of the foot was crushed to a jelly, necessitating amputation, and the fifth one broken. The Drs. Christie being called were promptly in attendance, and dressed the wound, which, of course, is of a very painful nature.

On Thursday evening last, Jan 25th Rev. Mr. Elliott, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Cherrytree Village, was the recipient of a handsome donation from his parishioners and friends in that village and in Petroleum Centre, amounting to upward of $80 in cash, and presents to the value of $100 more. Messrs. S. M. Irwin and Geo. W. Tarr, of Cherrytree, on behalf of the congregation, made the presentation, and as a matter of course the Rev. gentleman was taken somewhat by surprise, but retorted in a very handsome little speech. At the conclusion of the presentation, the congregation to the number of 150 ladies and gentlemen, assembled in the church and spent an hour or two in pleasant social intercourse, when the company separated for their respective homes, each one feeling that it "was good for them to be there." The Rev. Elliott has filled the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church in that village in a very acceptable manner for the past three years; is an earnest and devoted "worker in the Master's vineyard," and greatly beloved by his congregation. Such pleasing incidents always tend to strengthen the bonds of friendship and love between pastor and people.

To-morrow (Wednesday) evening, there is to be a grand masquerade and skating tournament, on Oil Creek, near the Boyd Farm bridge, wind and weather permitting. Masks can be procured at Simmons' drug store during the day and on the ice in the evening. Ladies and gents are requested to furnish their own costumes. It is expected the Columbia Cornet Band will be in attendance during the evening and discourse sweet music. The ice will be well lighted up and the strictest order will be preserved. The managers propose to make this THE affair of the season, and from what we have learned such will prove to be the case. See bills of the day.

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The best Gold Pens in use are those made by Fairchild's, and for sale at Nicholsons Newsroom.

We hope our citizens will bear in mind the fact that Hon. Wm. Parsons, of Dublin, Ireland, will lecture at Sobel's Opera House, this evening. His subject will be—George Stevenson, the Father of Railways. The subject is a very exhaustive one and cannot help but prove interesting. We hope to see a crowded house.

The Tidioute Daily Commercial, published at Tidioute by W. B. Gallaher & Co., is the name of a new paper which has reached us. It is a lively sheet and we wish it success.

The following is an Analysis of the lecture to be given at Sobel's Opera House this evening by Hon. Wm. Parsons, of Dublin, Ireland:

ANALYSIS.—The Humble Organ—Life in the Collieries—The Sweat of the Brow—Early Associations—Pitmen, their Peculiar Habits and Ideas—The Aspirations of a Lowly Genius—Self-Culture and Education at the Pit Mouth—The Studies and Pastimes of a Young Mechanic—Frugality's First Saving—How a Guinea can grow—Difficulties in Battalions—An Obscure Man in Advance of his Age—Ideas of the Future—Anticipations respecting Railways—Stephenson builds his first Traveling Engine—The Inevitable Opposition awaiting Great Inventions—Parliamentary Inquiries and Committees—A Mechanic before the Lawyers—Banter and Sophistication—The Battle of a Grand Design against Power and Prejudice—Despairing Friends and Undaunted Perseverance—The Greatest Work of the Age—Stephenson proclaimed the First of Engineers—A Man unspoiled by Fortune—His Later Works—A Son worthy of the Father—Estimate of Stephenson's Character—Its Simplicity and Greatness—His Advice to Youth and Interest in Mechanics' Institutions—The Ultimate Triumph of Integrity, Diligence, and Energy.

The cold snap still continues.

This cold weather is hard on the railroad rolling stock. The wrecking car passed through here this afternoon, for the scene of the smash up on the Boyd farm, which took place yesterday. The car was loaded with shingles, and was a complete wreck.

Lots of fun at the masquerade to-morrow evening.

Tom. McDonald's fancy rigs are in active demand now that the sleighing is good.

A gentleman in Detroit had a baby left on his doorstep one night last week. He took it in, cared for it tenderly, and the next day swapped it off for a terrier pup.

A vagrant was committed to the Pittsfield Mass., jail, the other day, who had on seven shirts, five pair of pants, two vests, and two coats. He was not asked when they took them.

The Davenport Brothers Again Exposed.

The notorious Davenport brothers have been so frequently detected in their "spiritual impostures, that they must have become thoroughly accustomed to it by this time; and it is a wonder to us that people still insist on being humbugged by them. The brothers are reported to have met with a warm reception at Ithaca the other day.—Some students of Cornell University, having a scientific turn of mind, provided themselves before going to the place of exhibition with pyrotechnic balls containing phosphorus, so made as to ignite suddenly with a bright light. During the dark seances, when the Davenports purport d to be, and as the audience supposed they were, bound hand and foot within their closet or cabinet, and when the guitar was floating in the air and playing musically around, the aforesaid students struck their lights all of a sudden, and the spirits were found to be no other than the Davenports themselves, who were dodging about the stage, brandishing the guitars and playing the tunes. The music suddenly ceased, the Committee declared the performance a humbug, and the players departed from Ithaca by the earliest train.

Botts, the murderer of "Pet" Halstead, was successfully hanged on Friday It is interesting to know that he professed himself prepared for the other world, a consumation, in view of the life he was leading, of which most people had small expectation while there was a chance of his dying a natural death. It is rather astonishing how many cases of the sort there are. As a reformer the gallows certainly stands conspicuous—when viewed in a certain light The premises admitted, it would not be difficult to frame an argument for its more frequent use

Beautiful Photograph Albums at Nicholson's.

Remember Hon. Wm. Parsons lecture at Sobel's Opera House.

OIL NEWS.—There will not be any wells down on the upper Clarion, for a month or two—as drilling is now only about commencing.

A large gas vein was struck in the well drilling at Troutners' in Salem township, and in a short time a strike is expected there.

The well on the Wecter farm near Salem, is progressing favorably.

The Petersburg district is still the center of attraction to oil men, and new strikes are almost a daily occurrence.

A new well on the Ashbach farm, one mile east of Petersburg—near the celebrated Hulings well, which for several months has been pumping 80 barrels a day—reached the third sand last week, and a large vein of oil was struck, filling up the hole, and water was poured in to prevent it from flowing. Unfortunately the jars broke and left the tools fast in the well, and thus it stood at last accounts It is thought this strike will equal the Hulings well.

A well on the Abbey farm, in Ashland township, about one mile north of Mimms, is down about 700 feet, and a heavy gas vein was struck last week, which throwed water over the derrick. It will have to be drilled two or three hundred feet deeper.—A good well is anticipated.—Clarion Democrat.

Reno stock is now at par, and those who accept stock in that company, for what was due them on the failure of Culver, Penn, & Co, can now get their money in full Mr. Culver, has finally pulled through, and again on his feet. About 260 barrels of oil a day is now produced on the Reno Company's land, and more than a thousand acres remain undeveloped.

There are over 60,000 miles of railroad in the United States, of which 6,980 were built last year.

A Troy editor has written a story "solely to vindicate the great idea of the equality of men and women in sin." And it isn't advertised among the other books for children.

Daily and weekly newspapers containing the latest news, at Nicholson's.

In Norwich, Conn., a gentleman accidentally gave a boot-black a five-dollar piece, mistaking it in the dusk for a cent. The boy discovered the error at once, and what did the noble little fellow do? Instantly run after the gentleman with tears in his eyes and return it. No. He call all his comrades and spent every penny of it in peanuts and lemon beer.

Monthly Magazines at Nicholson's.

A close fisted bachelor of Knox county, Ind., wanted the clerk to inform him whether he would make any reduction in the rates if half a dozen fellows clubbed together to take out marriage licenses.

An economical Iowan, who had a toothache, determined to remove his tooth in Indian fashion. Accordingly he bent down a sapling in the woods, lay down himself, and attached a stout cord to his tooth and the sapling. Then he touched the spring, and the next he knew he had jumped over a grove of about forty small trees, and was trying to get out of a small pond that he happened to alight in.

There is a very nice family living out in Kalamazoo county, Michigan. While the father and mother were engaged in a fight the other day, a child two years old was thrown into a tub of hot water and left there to soak. A day or two after the leg of another child was broken in the daily family fight and left to heal in its own way.

Local Notices.

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Petroleum Centre, Pa. jan 30-tf.

DOG LOST.

Lost from the Opera House Saloon, on Tuesday last a small shaggy Dog, answers to the name of "Dash." Whoever returns the same will be liberally rewarded.

j29 3t Doc SWIFT.

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☞ Children's Likenesses taken between the hours of 10 a m and 2 p m, at Hempsted & Co's Daguerrean Gallery. jan13tf.

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Nov 7 tf H. H WARNER.

LIVE AND LET LIVE!

Just received at Mease & Armstrong's Flour and Feed Store, 1,800 bushels extra WHITE OATS, which will be sold at lowest cash prices! o29-tf.

Take Notice.

Now is the time to buy your Apples, as I am selling them off at prices that will astonish you, from one dollar a barrel and upwards, or anything else in the store, as Mr. Briggs is going to close out about the first of the month. Call and see for yourselves

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Per H. H. WARNER, Clerk.

dec. 21-tf.

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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. NASBY, "The Mission of Skinenoyh," Nov. 20th.
Rev. WM B CULLEN Appearance, Nov 30
JUDSON KILPATRICK, Dec 22d, "Sherman's March to the Sea."
JOSH BILLINGS. Dec 14
Hon. WM. PARSONS

☞ Correspondence is being held with HORACE GREELEY, WENDELL PHILLIPS, FRED DOUGLASS, MARK TWAIN, and others.

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