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Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Feb. Centre Saturday, February 10

Divine Service.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and

3:30 P. M. Sabbath School at 12:30 P. M.

and 7:30 P. M. A cordial invitation extended to all.

Rev. P. W. SCOFIELD, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7:30

o'clock P. M. D. PATTON, Pastor.

Gold at 1 p. m. 110 3/4

Bad Case.—Night before last an aged man, whose name we withheld, but who resides in Clarion county, arrived in town in search of his daughter, who he stated had run away from home the day previous with the avowed purpose of entering a house of prostitution, either in this place or Oil City or Titusville, as a note she left behind stated. The girl is about 18 years of age, and is represented as being smart, well educated and passably good looking. The old gentleman is a well-to-do farmer in the northern portion of Clarion county, and his home was surrounded with every comfort and convenience necessary to make life happy. The old man failed to find the erring daughter here, and left for Titusville yesterday to renew the search. We imagine could the run away daughter have seen the sorrowful picture of the gray haired old man weeping over the course of his erring child, her heart would have melted and she would have returned to the happy home made desolate by her course. Could girls who decide on entering upon a life of shame look into the future and see the misery and woe attached to it, they would never leave the old home, no matter how poor it might be, and the oft repeated story "one more unfortunate, rashly importunate," would never be told; happy home circles would not be broken; grief stricken fathers, mothers, sisters and brothers would not have their lives blighted, and there would be fewer degraded and fallen women. It is sincerely to be hoped the misguided girl may be reclaimed.

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Mr. John Griffin, an oil buyer of Oil City met with a severe accident at the depot, yesterday afternoon. In attempting to get on the late freight train going south, while it was in motion, his foot slipped and he fell heavily to the ground, cutting a severe gash over his right eye, and otherwise bruising him. It was a narrow escape from death, as had he fallen on the track the cars would have passed over him.

A large crowd was attracted to the races this afternoon, and much sport was occasioned. Quite a number of Titusville and Miller farm horses were entered, and the race being to good condition, some fine trotting was witnessed. Up to the hour of going to press the result had not been given.

Weather mild and pleasant to-day.

Alt. Myers has purchased a half interest in the Adams House at Petersburg. He knows how to run a hotel, and this house will become more popular than ever under the new management.

Last Friday week was ground hog day. Correspondents are requested to inform us relative to his shadow.

One of our store clerks says that counter imitations are those persons who examine the whole stock and buy nothing.

After all, what is more harassing to the business man than a counter imitator?

PARKER OIL FIELD.

NEW TERRITORY.

An oil well is being drilled on the Wm. Hutchins Farm, three miles north of the town of North Washington in Butler county, which is now over 400 feet deep. The mountain sand has just been penetrated at some depth which presents a good appearance. Last week a roamer was broken and part of it left in the hole. The well is owned by O. D. Lewis and others of Pittsburgh.

The well recently sunk by the Columbia Oil Company on the Redick farm, Butler county, near Little Bear Creek, has been pumping for some days and is reported to be yielding 25 or 30 barrels of oil per day.

MILFORD FARM.

A well owned by J. F. Thomas, John Coats and Owen Thomas, on the Milford farm, commenced pumping on Tuesday last, and has been yielding oil since that time at the rate of 40 barrels.

DEAR CREEK.

The well on the Fletcher farm, near Martinsburg, has been completed and is being tubed preparatory to pumping. The indications for a good well are of a flattering character.

A well under the superintendence of Mr. Boreland, near Martinsburg, owned by a Pittsburgh company, has been drilled some depth into the third sand, and promises to prove good.—[Oilman's Journal.]

AGNES, I LOVE THEE.

I stood upon the ocean's briny shore,
And with a fragile reed I wrote
Upon the sand—

"Agnes, I love thee!"

The mad waves rolled and blotted out
The fair impression.

Frail reed! cruel wave! treacherous sand!
I'll trust you no more;

But with giant hand I'll pluck
From Norway's frozen shore

Her tallest pine, and dip its top
Into the crater of Vesuvius;

And upon the high and burnished heavens
I'll write—

"Agnes, I love thee!"

And I would like to see any
Dog gonad wave wash that out!

[St. Louis Times.

As an evidence of the value attached to Grotter's Oil and Gas Controller, the patent of which is owned by Messrs. Fisher, Norris & Co. of this place, as a means of saving life and property, we give the names of the following prominent oil operators who now have them in use in different sections of the region, and pronounce them fully capable of doing their work, and more than paying their cost in the saving of gas and oil:

Jacob Shirk, East Sandy oil district.

A. H. Bronson, Cashup " "

Dr. G. Shamburg, " " two.

M. L. Lockwood, Petersburg " "

J. W. Gordon, Parker " "

In addition to the above several others have purchased them and intend using them as soon as their wells are completed to the sand rock. Mr. R. R. Armor is the agent for their sale in the "down river" territory. We would advise operators to call into F. N. & Co's machine shop and examine this valuable invention.

The Illinois State Woman's Suffrage Association will meet in Bloomington on the 15th and 16th of February.

The first representation of "Fantasio," Offenbach's new opera, was to be given at Opera Comique last week.

A woman in the western part of this State married a Swede in a moment of foolishness. She subsequently committed suicide because she could not understand his language.

The Chicago Post has discovered a case of extreme brutality on the part of a husband in that city and urges philanthropists to raise a purse to procure her a divorce.

The New Bedford Mercury says: "The following is a verbatim copy of a note sent to one of the teachers of the public schools in this city: 'Please fix kuss Henry at 2 o'clock.'"

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ILLUMINATED HAT BANDS.—The Schoenstedy Star says: "An illuminated hat band is the latest novelty. It can be used as a lantern, giving such powerful light that the bricks in a man's hat can be readily enumerated. It throws its effulgence ahead and will enable bidders to steer clear of gas-lamps and horse blocks. With this illuminator there will be no excuse for a man pulling his neighbor's bell for his own in a fit of ignorant bias.

A very unkind astronomer is going to have a meteor strike the earth this year and kill everybody in precisely twenty-four minutes.

Stokes is advised to prepare a lecture for the next season "The advantages of the Graham system in prolonging human life."

Buckwheat has bolted this market.

Cupl'd's Dodges.

The racy correspondent of the Commercial Advertiser, Eli Perkins writes as follows: spropoe of the gas famine in New York:

Last night I went home from Dr. Ewer's with Julia. I felt great confidence in myself. The darkness gave me confidence in myself. There were thirty-six dark gas burners, and one tallow candle—one Eighth Avenue tallow candle in her father's palatial mansion. I took her hand, I did and I was about to say something confidential in the feeble candle-light, when we heard Julia's cousin Mary in the back parlor with Charley Brown. Charley was taking advantage of the darkness too. We saw their shadows on the glass door. I heard him whisper: "Mary, dear, I have some thing confidential to tell you."

"What is it, Charley?" she hissed in a sweet voice.

Then we saw one arm of his shadow encircle her shadow, and somebody whispered—

"I think, Mary—I think that—I love you."

Then we heard a suppressed sigh, "Mary," continued the voice, "do you love me?"

"Yes, Charley I do love you, she sobbed."

"How much?"

"More than words can express."

"I am very glad, Mary," continued the voice, "for I thought you were flirting."

"Well, Charley?"

But Charley seldom said another word. Young fellows never get farther than this nowadays. This is as much as any reasonable young lady ought to expect. Now Charley is an honorable, High School fellow and has gotten just so far with three hundred and eighty-six young ladies on Fifth Avenue. It is called by the fellows the "sticking point?" One day I said, "Charley, did you ever get any farther than the Sticking Point?"

"Fahaw, Eli, yes," he replied. "There are two other points still. We call them the Awful Oath Dodge and the Poverty Dodge! Why, I've come those dodges over the Fifth Avenue girls more than twenty times."

"What is the Awful Oath Dodge?" I inquired anxiously.

"The Awful Oath Dodge is where we get sweet on a girl, tell her that we love her, get her to say that she loves us, then announce with tremendous solemnity that we were compelled to take an awful oath at the bedside of our dying grandmother not to marry until the age of thirty. Of course the young lady can't wait so long as that, and we are out of the scrape."

"Well, what is Poverty Dodge, how do you do it?" I asked, still opening my eyes at Charley's revelations.

"Never tell, my boy!"

"Never!"

"Well, I always tell the girls that I love them."

"Yes?"

"Ask them if they love me."

"Yes?"

"Then they say yes."

"And you—"

Why, then, I sigh and say: "Alas! darling, I do love you but I love you too much to ask you to marry me. You, Mary, are used to a life of luxury. I am poor and proud. I would not ask you to leave a home of comfort for a home such as I could give you."

"Well Charley how does this generally work?"

"Splendidly, old fellow! That's what we Fifth Avenue fellows call the Poverty Dodge—the very last jumping off place you know."

LOOMIS' MUSIC STORE, TITUSVILLE, PA.—A day or two since we announced that Mr. R. H. Bargent, proprietor of the Opera House Music Store, Titusville, had sold out to Messrs. H. B. Loomis & Co., who will hereafter conduct the business. Mr. Loomis has thoroughly refitted and enlarged his store, adding between twenty and thirty feet to its former size; newly carpeted a portion of the main room and otherwise improved its appearance, making as handsome a store room as the oil region affords. The new firm have made large additions to their stock of musical merchandise, and our musical friends in this vicinity can procure anything from an elegant Knabe Piano or Prince Melodion to the latest piece of sheet music or a set of guitar and violin strings. The Colonel will always be on deck to welcome his friends from "down the creek" and attend to their wants. We would recommend those of our citizens desiring anything in the musical line to pay the new firm a call while in Titusville.

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Another accident on the Allegheny Valley Railroad yesterday. Nobody hurt.

Here is what they sing at public examinations in a Vermont village, to the tune of "Yankee Doodle," visitors and all joining in the chorus:

If anything on earth can make
A great and glorious nation,
It is to give the little ones
A thorough education.
Chorus—Five times five are twenty-five
Five times six are thirty,
Five times seven are thirty-five,
And five times eight are forty.

Consumptives who have gone to Florida for the benefit of their health, write home that they have only one objection to the climate—it is never cold enough to stop base ball.

Sundry Illinois doctors, of a speculative turn, have formed a ring and produced a corner in virus.

Mr. Diligence Kerry of England used his diligence in a matrimonial direction so effectively that six women call him husband.

A Pittsburg family were surprised by the entrance into their house of a freight car loaded with pig-iron. It had jumped the track. The house was demolished but the family saved.

At a leap-year sale of old bachelors in Southville, Ala., recently, quotations were low, except for widowers, who brought \$1,000 each. Lawyers were knocked down at \$5 a head.

A negro prisoner in Georgia pounded up some glass, and then concluded to gobble it and commit suicide.—[Boston Post.]

The peach growers are growing already rather early.

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 ads with either of the above houses.

A CHEAP HOUSE!

Situated in the most desirable of neighborhoods—the Egbert Farm—together with an interest in a water line bringing a never failing supply of soft water into the kitchen, is for sale with accommodations in payment. It contains six commodious rooms conveniently arranged. Ground rent low, and premises in good condition. No more leases will be granted on this farm for building purposes and any person desiring to live in this desirable and convenient location, and to own a house at one third the cost of building should apply soon to

JOHN W. SPENCER.

Petroleum Centre, Feb. 9, 1872—1w.

WANTED.

A girl wanted to do general housework. Enquire at G. Gordon's Hardware Store. GILBERT GORDON. feb. 6-1f.

Girl Wanted.

A girl wanted to do general housework Enquire of H. C. JARVIS. feb. 6-1f.

Rare Chance.

300 ACRES OF LAND TO BE LEASED AT MOST REASONABLE RATES. I will give 1/2 interest in 300 acres of land situated in the Enterprise oil district, to any party who will put down a test well through large casing. Timber for rig and wood for putting down any number of wells furnished, subject to the following terms: 50 acres in fee, and 250 acres at 1/2 royalty. Parties putting down the first well will have all the production of said well.

D. O. FISHER.

Petroleum Centre, Jan. 31, 1872.

For Sale or Rent.

The building lately occupied by A. M. Shultz as a Bakery and Grocery Store. Enquire of H. C. JARVIS. Jan 30-1f.

GAFFNEY keeps constantly on hand Scotch Ale and London Porter, especial for family use.

Go to the Jamestown Clothing Store for your clothing of all kinds. They are selling goods "dirt cheap."

Apples! Apples! Just received one hundred barrels of those nice APPLES from the farm, and twenty barrels of our best CIDER—the best that ever came to this town. Call and see for yourselves. Nov 7-1f 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 price! c29-1f.

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. E. T. BRIGGS.

Feb 11-1f. W. W. WARNER, Clerk.

Dec. 21-1f.

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Hams, Family Soaps, &c,

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REGION. Connected with my Store is a

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Petroleum Centre, Pa.

Feb 11-1f.

Emel Zedwich

("LITTLE JOE.")

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Making the Best Fit and Finest

Boots in the Oil Region.

He is constantly receiving orders from other

parts of the Oil Region.

He constantly keeps on hand

Ready-made Boots & Shoes.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

SHOES AND GAITERS.

CALL AND SEE HIM.

Emel ZEDWICH.

FISHER & NORRIS,

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WELL TOOLS & FIXTURES

Necessary for putting down and opening oil

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we have a large and convenient

BLACKSMITH SHOP.

Our facilities for MANUFACTURING are as

complete as any Shop in the Oil Region.

Shop—air-st, opposite McWhittaker House.

FISHER & NORRIS.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF

TRAINING O. C. & A. R. R.

On and after Sunday, Nov. 18th, 1871,

trains will run as follows:

NORTH	No. 5.	No. 3.	No. 1.
Leave Oil City	6:00 A. M.	3:45 P. M.	5:10 P. M.
" Titusville	6:30 " "	3:25 " "	5:10 " "
" Pet. Cen	7:10 " "	4:07 " "	5:55 " "
Arrive Corry	8:55 " "	5:40 " "	10:30 " "
SOUTH.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Leave Corry	10:55 A. M.	6:10 A. M.	6:00 P. M.
" Titusville	12:25 P. M.	7:30 " "	7:35 " "
" P. Cen.	1:25 " "	8:30 " "	8:30 " "
Arrive O. City	2:55 " "	9:05 " "	9:10 " "
" Irvine.	4:45 " "	11:50 " "	