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**D. PATTON, Pastor.**



**Petroleum Centre Lodge, No. 715, I. O. of O. F.**  
 Regular meeting nights Friday, at 7  
 o'clock. Signed.  
**J. E. BOYLES, N. G.**  
**W. A. KELLER, A. Sec'y.**  
 Place of meeting, Main St., opposite  
 McClintock House.

**A. O. of U. W.**  
 Liberty Lodge No. 7, A. O. of U. W.,  
 meets every Monday evening at 7 o'clock,  
 in Odd Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre,  
 Penn'a.

**A. GLEN, M. W.**

**S. H. KOOKER, R.**

Gold at 1 p. m. 110 1/4

We devote a large portion of our space  
to-day to the proceedings of the oil meeting  
held at the office of Phillips & Boyles, on  
Saturday evening last. The meeting was  
largely attended and the utmost unanimity  
prevailed throughout. It was stated that  
\$100,000 worth of stock would be taken in  
this district. If all the sixteen districts do  
as well the entire stock and more too will  
be taken within the next few days and the  
protective association become an established  
institution. The committee selected to rep-  
resent this district is composed of men who  
will labor energetically to carry out the ob-  
jects of the association, and will be fully  
sustained by the oil men of this vicinity.—  
May they succeed in their efforts to defeat  
the monopoly is the hope of all.

An interesting article from the New York  
Tribune on monopolies will appear to-mor-  
row.

There was "fighting all along the line"  
on Saturday evening. Several young buck-  
wheats from Cherrytree undertook to "run  
the town," aided by King Alcohol. They  
failed miserably. We have their names and  
the next they undertake a like proceeding  
shall give them in full for the benefit of the  
public.

Several other "ractions" occurred, and  
whiskey talked long and loud, but did no  
particular damage.

During the late excitement raised in oil  
circles by the Southern Improvement Com-  
pany many producers have shown that they  
are true to the instructions of the Oil City  
Convention by ceasing to jump their wells  
on Sunday; but Mr. Stephen Cane, of Law-  
renceburg, surpasses all in patriotism. He  
has shut down the private well, and declares  
it shall pump no more oil until the infamous  
ring which is laboring to rob the producers  
is starved out and banished from the land.  
Good for you Stephen, hit them again!  
They have no friends here or elsewhere this  
side of that region which they are traveling  
to, where they will doubtless find the el-  
ement warm enough without intruding oil,  
to add injury to the flames.—[Oilman's Jour-  
nal.]

A charter for a bridge across the Alle-  
gheny River at Parker's Landing has been  
granted by the Pennsylvania Legislature.  
A charter for a new railroad has also been  
granted, the route to run along the Parker's  
Landing side of the river, to connect with  
the grand trunk which lead to the markets  
of the west.

An oil fire at Oil City, Thursday night  
last destroyed about 100 barrels of crude oil  
and other property. Loss \$2,000.

A young son of Ira P. Allen, aged twelve  
years, was drowned while skating on the  
Allegheny river, at Foxton, on Wednesday  
evening, Feb. 28. Search has been made  
for the body between Foxton and Bear  
Creek; but it has not been recovered as yet,  
down the river papers will please copy.—  
[Oilman's Journal.]

All over India sweetmeats are consumed  
as a substantial article of food. A native,  
when traveling, seldom eats anything else;  
and between the two great meals, at all  
times, he whites away the long noon of the  
Indian Summer day by sucking lollipops or  
candy between the whiffs of his hookah.  
Large dishes of sweetmeat are very com-  
mon presents to make on religious festivals  
or domestic red-letter days; and when a hin-  
doe wants to be very merry or very disap-  
pated he never gets drunk, as a Scotchman  
does, but goes to a "mithai" shop, and makes  
himself ill with candied sugar.

Another alias for the gentle non-explosive  
is "saltpetre fluid."

**Producers' Meeting.**

At a large and unanimous meeting held  
at the office of Phillips & Boyles, Saturday  
evening, March 9th, 1872, in pursuance of  
a call from the General Committee of the  
Producers' Protective Association, the  
meeting was called to order by Dr. M. C.  
Egbert, and on motion, Capt. F. J. Keffer  
was elected President, Col. J. A. Vera  
Vice President, and W. H. Payne Secre-  
tary.

Upon taking the chair, Capt. Keffer made  
a few explanatory remarks, and called upon  
Dr. Egbert to more fully explain the objects  
of the meeting.

Dr. Egbert explained that the meeting  
was for the purpose of appointing a sub-  
committee to attend the meeting to be held  
at Titusville this (Monday) evening, and  
to transact such other business as may be  
brought before the meeting regarding the  
Protective Association.

Mr. J. M. Dickey explained that the  
meeting was called for the purpose of carry-  
ing out the plan adopted at the Oil City  
mass meeting in relation to the proposed  
Protective Union, and for the purpose of  
electing good and suitable delegates to act  
for the Eleventh District at the Titusville  
meeting. That in the present emergency the  
best men should be chosen, and it becomes  
this meeting in good faith to back up the  
meeting at Oil City to the utmost extent.

Col. Vera remarked the delegates held  
the same relative position to us as did the  
signers of the Declaration of Independence.  
Two weeks of war without bloodshed had  
witnessed the adoption of articles of agree-  
ment, and the meeting at Titusville was  
for the purpose of adopting a constitution  
and declaration of independence for the  
United States of Oildom. A series of resolu-  
tions had been passed at Oil City for the  
formation of a protective association against  
the So. Im. Co., and the delegates elected  
to-night were to represent this district at  
the Titusville meeting to perfect that union,  
the voting for stockholders to be done after-  
wards.

Dr. Egbert thought that the committee  
appointed to-night was only a temporary  
one. That as soon as the requisite  
amount of stock was taken to the amount of  
\$1,000,000, each stockholder would be en-  
titled to vote, and the affairs of the union  
would then be controlled by a board of  
directors, for the election of which the com-  
mittee chosen to-night was to act.

Col. Vera explained at large the duties  
of said committee and the plan proposed at  
the mass meetings to be carried out by the  
loyal men of the oil region.

Mr. C. N. Payne gave his views of the  
Protective Association, and moved that the  
articles adopted at the Oil City meeting be  
read and adopted or rejected by the meet-  
ing. Motion carried.

Here followed the reading of the articles  
of association of the Producers' Protective  
Union by J. M. Dickey.

Moved and seconded that they be adopted  
by this meeting. Unanimously carried.

Mr. Dickey read an article from a Titus-  
ville paper explaining the duty of the com-  
mittee.

Dr. Egbert said that this meeting was  
called for the purpose of representing Petro-  
leum Centre and vicinity at the Titusville  
meeting, not only by the election of a com-  
mittee, but that it was every man's duty to  
report at that meeting and do all they can  
to carry out the spirit of said resolutions,  
and aid in the defeat of the rotten monopoly  
that now threatened to engulf the oil  
region in common ruin.

Capt. Keffer spoke at some length on the  
duty of the committee.

Mr. Payne understood the Titusville  
meeting to be for the purpose of perfecting  
the plan in full, and that we should select  
our best men and instruct them to represent  
the oil interests of this section to the best  
of their ability.

Capt. Keffer concurred in Mr. Payne's re-  
marks. This was no trifling matter and upon  
it depended the very life blood of the region  
and its future prosperity. The So. Imp.  
Co. had millions of money to fight us with,  
and would undoubtedly spend it freely, and  
we must seek to defeat their deeply laid  
plans.

Dr. Egbert said committee must not ex-  
pect to finish their labors in one night, but  
that it might take weeks of labor to carry  
out and perfect the plans of the association.

Mr. Dickey moved that a committee of  
five be chosen to represent this district at the  
Titusville meeting. Carried.

Capt. Keffer was nominated and declined  
giving good reasons therefor.

Messrs. J. M. Dickey, J. S. McCray, J. A.  
Vera, C. N. Payne, and J. W. Irwin were  
unanimously chosen as such committee.

Moved that Capt Keffer instruct com-  
mittee as to their duties. Capt. K. was of  
the opinion that committee did not need any  
instruction, but that they should have cre-  
dentials stating that they had been duly  
elected delegates to represent the Eleventh  
District.

Mr. Dickey suggested that the names of

said committee be sent to E. G. Patterson,  
president of the Petroleum Producers' Asso-  
ciation, he having the matter of entertain-  
ment of the delegates while in Titusville in  
hand.

Moved that the Secretary be authorized to  
send names of committee to Mr. Patterson.  
Carried.

Mr. Payne moved that committee be in-  
structed to act for this meeting, and that  
said meeting pledge itself to endorse and  
sustain the action of committee.

After remarks by various parties the mo-  
tion was carried.

Dr. Egbert thought the only instructions  
committee needed was to keep perfectly so-  
ber and attend strictly to business. Laughter.

Mr. Dickey gave his views in regard to  
producers taking stock in the protective as-  
sociation; did not think there was any dan-  
ger, as some parties predicted, of its becom-  
ing another monopoly, but was of the opin-  
ion that the stock would pay a good rate of  
interest to all taking it. Believed that all  
producers should take stock and then it wd  
be firmly established, and should it prove  
success in the future we would be a more  
united people. Heretofore every man had  
been for making money, and did not recog-  
nize each other only in a social or moral  
light. In union there is strength, and this  
would tend to make us financially a united  
people and able to withstand any and all  
monopolies that may be brought to bear  
against us.

Mr. C. N. Payne coincided with Mr. Dick-  
ey, and alluded to the course taken by cer-  
tain Pittsburg papers towards the people  
of this region as being unjust in the extreme,  
and said they should have sent intelligent  
men to report and not common drunkards.

Dr. Egbert looked upon the passing and  
carrying out of these resolutions as of as  
much importance as the Declaration of In-  
dependence was to the old thirteen States,  
and thought it was the duty of every man  
to take stock in the Association, if only for  
the purpose of showing their good will.  
Explained in regard to the Association, and  
that all taking stock would be amply re-  
warded; and should it prove a success, in one  
year's time every man holding certificates  
of stock would be proud to have it known  
that he belonged to the Association.

Col. Vera said we are not done fighting  
the monopoly. They may attempt a flank  
movement. If P. H. Watson, or the mem-  
bers of the So. Imp. Co. want to make mon-  
ey out of the oil business let them do it in a  
legitimate way as we have done. Let them,  
instead of sitting in their richly furnished  
offices in New York or elsewhere, endeavor  
to manipulate and steal \$5,000,000 per  
annum from our pockets, come out in ke  
men, wade through the mud and dirt and  
climb these hills and go in from the derri-  
ck floor to make money as we have done. If  
not, they are set of cut throats and thieves.

Dr. Egbert hoped no man would for a  
moment think the So. Imp. Co. was whipped.  
Said that so far they had done nothing but  
wait and watch until the excitement and  
indignation had died out, and then come in  
and make a flank movement. One of their  
plans would probably be to offer a large  
advance on oil for the purpose of buying up  
the producers. If they should lose a million  
of dollars it would be done rather than lose  
the game they were playing for, and he did  
not doubt that they represented \$250,000,  
000 of capital, and would spend a portion  
of it to carry out their villainous ends.

Col. Vera said the monopoly had boasted  
they could buy up the Legislature and knew  
exactly the quotations for regular, spot, S.  
O. all year, and could get legislation to suit  
themselves. He thought they would pay  
\$10 per barrel for oil in order to get the  
"dead wood" on the producers.

Dr. Egbert proceeded to "show up" Bost-  
wick, one of the conspirators, and hoped  
the men of this region would not lose their  
dignity by making terms with these outlaws.  
The region can get along without them. We  
have refineries enough in the region to re-  
fine all the oil under the new order of things  
and plenty of railroads as soon as they found  
we were in earnest, would willingly pledge  
themselves to transport our oil to the sea-  
board. We have no use for the Pittsburgh  
or Cleveland refiners, and will not solicit or  
negotiate any terms whatever with them.

Mr. Dickey was not in favor of making  
terms with neither railroads or refiners. Let  
them make terms with us. He believed in  
the motto—"Millions for defence, but not  
one barrel of oil for thieves." For his part  
he would not sell one barrel or even one  
plat of oil to these rascals and thieves at  
any price whatever.

Dr. Egbert said although he was not a  
producer but a shipper of oil, he could ship  
and sell all the oil he bought to other parties  
and make money at it.

Mr. Irwin thought the Protective Asso-  
ciation was something to be proud of. If it  
proved a success we had succeeded in estab-  
lishing a financial period in the history of  
the country, and had immortalized ourselves  
by so doing.

After a few more debatory remarks the  
meeting adjourned subject to the call of the  
committee.

F. J. KEFFER, Pres't.  
W. H. PAYNE, Sec'y.

A facetious individual not many miles  
from Danbury, sought to "draw his wife out"  
by pretending to be found dead with an  
empty laudanum phial by his side. And  
that lady was a good deal shocked at first,  
but having read that a needle introduced  
into the human flesh, would indicate on its  
surface whether that flesh was dead, and  
being a woman of eminent practicality,  
she at once armed herself with a polished  
instrument of nearly two inches growth, and  
with throbbing heart and bated breath in-  
troduced a good share of its length into the  
deceased. What the surface of the needle  
readily indicated was not learned, as he took  
it with him as he passed through the sash.—  
[Ed.]

The New Castle and Franklin R. R. pro-  
ject is being pushed forward with vigor, and  
work will doubtless commence on it early  
in the spring.

An Englishman has invented a new meth-  
od of lighting houses with coal oil, being sim-  
ply to have an oil-tank at the top of the  
house, with pipes to convey the non-explo-  
sive to all the lamps about the building.  
It is suggested that one effect of this plan  
will be to reduce the number of widows and  
orphans, as the whole family will go togeth-  
er in case of an explosion.

On Thursday afternoon of last week, after  
we had gone to press a sad accident hap-  
pened near the Nut & Bolt factory. A  
young woman by the name of Bridget Glenn,  
about sixteen years of age, undertook to  
light a fire by pouring oil from a can of  
kerosene into the stove. The oil caught  
fire, which passed up into the can, explod-  
ing it and scattering the contents all over  
Miss Glenn. Her clothing caught fire im-  
mediately. Her little brother who was  
standing by tried to put the fire out and  
told her to lie down on the floor and roll  
the carpet around her, but she was too  
much frightened to think, and ran out into  
the street. Mr. F. White, foreman of the  
factory attracted by the outcries of the  
neighbors, rushed to her assistance and  
threw a shawl over her head. The flames  
were then at least two feet above her head.  
Others coming up, the fire was soon put out,  
but too late to save her life. She died in  
the evening about nine o'clock.

Over and over again the warning comes,  
to keep kerosene away from fire. It is more  
deadly than powder.—[New Castle Gour-  
ant.]

The manufacturers of tubing and casing  
have raised their prices in anticipation of  
the new pipe lines to be built. They are  
entitled to the thanks of our oil men for  
their generous aid of the South Improve-  
ment Company. Producers will probably  
continue to use their old tubing and casing  
as long as it holds together.

Put the following names of the officers of  
the villainous monopoly that seeks to rob  
the entire region down on the black list.—  
Col. Payne, Rockefeller, Bestwick, Logan  
Bree, Warner, Worden, of Cleveland, Lock-  
hart and Frew, of Pittsburgh, and P. H.  
Watson. Let them be remembered in the  
future.

**YAKS AND NEGROES**—If horses could make  
themselves understood in human language,  
they would signify by a universal "Yes,"  
their assent to the statement that the Mus-  
tang Liniment is the best remedy extant for  
all these external ailments, and by a most  
emphatic "Neigh!" show their displeasure  
at every attempt to use any other prepara-  
tion in its stead. Ever since its intro-  
duction at St. Louis, at the close of the Mexi-  
can War, in 1849, it has proved a signal  
blessing to horse and man—curing, with  
absolute certainty and wonderful despatch,  
such equine diseases as spavin, ringbone,  
poll evil, scratches, hoof-ae, &c., and re-  
lieving and finally removing the painful  
affections which attack the muscles, sinews  
and external glands of human beings. It is  
a fact beyond contradiction that for all in-  
juries or complaints of man or quadrupeds  
to which an external remedy is applicable,  
the Mustang Liniment is preferable to  
every other.

The adoption of photography in surveying  
has been successfully practiced to such an  
extent and under such circumstances as to  
leave no doubt of its value. The apparatus  
employed, is a thodolite and camera combin-  
ed. Starting from a measured base line of  
about sixteen hundred or seventeen hundred  
feet in length, the camera is erected at one  
extremity and perfectly leveled. Some  
known or well marked object in the view  
is noted, and the angle it makes with the  
base line is measured. A photographic  
view is then taken, and the operation is re-  
peated at the other extremity of the base  
line. From these two photographs the pro-  
cess of plotting afterward proceeds. With-  
out going into the scientific details involved  
it is said that the minutiae obtained by  
this process are so complete that all the un-  
dulations of surface, even of a mountainous  
district, can be given with marvelous fidel-  
ity. One measured base line will answer  
the purpose, and from it the work proceeds  
as in ordinary triangulations.

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 tricts of the Oil Regions.  
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 March 4-1w

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 am selling them off at prices that will at-  
 tract you, from one dollar a barrel and up-  
 wards, 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.**  
 Per H. H. WARNER, Clerk. Dec. 21-1f.

Pictures colored in India Ink and oil, at  
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The Street Stock of fashionable Hats  
 the latest styles ever brought to town  
 just received at Alden's.

The Duke Alexis, Crown Prince of  
 Russia ordered one of the Nobby Hats at  
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Children's Likenesses taken between  
 the hours of 10 a m and 2 p m, at Hempted  
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**For Sale or Rent.**  
 The building lately occupied by A. S.  
 Shurtz as a Bakery and Grocery Store. En-  
 quire of  
**H. C. JARVIS.**  
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 Hats and Caps just received at  
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 est cash prices! Feb-1f.

Now is the time to buy Hats and  
 Caps cheap at the Jamestown Clothing  
 Store.

Life-size Rembrandt pictures taken at  
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A lot of old papers for sale at this  
 office.

Now is the time to purchase Winter  
 Clothing cheap, and **A. ALDEN'S** is the  
 place. Jan 13-1f.

Latest styles of New York, Philadel-  
 phia and Boston Hats and Caps just re-  
 ceived at A. Alden's Jamestown Clothing Store.

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 cially for family use.

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 Neck Ties, at **ALDEN'S.**  
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 fades," by going to Hempted & Co's Da-  
 guerrean Gallery, Petroleum Centre, Pa.