

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre Pa. Thursday March 14. Divine Service. METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M. etc. free. A cordial invitation extended to all.

REV. P. W. SCOFFIELD, Pastor. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 1/2 o'clock P. M. D. FATTON, 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 McCintock House.

A. O. of E. W. Liberty Lodge No. 7, A. O. of E. W., meets every Monday evening at 7 o'clock, in Odd Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre, Penn'a. A. GLEN, R. W. S. H. KOONER, R. Gold at 1 p. m. 110 1/2

Elsewhere we publish the roll of honor of the producers of the Eleventh District, who pledge themselves not to sell one barrel of oil to the South Improvement Combination or its agents. The list is yet open for signatures. Make your record, gentlemen. "While the lamp holds out to burn," &c. It was the request of the meeting that the list be published in the Titusville Herald, Courier, and Oil City Register and Derrick.

Petroleum Centre beware to the dangers of the situation, and will fight the monopoly to the bitter end. "Which the same" we take pleasure in publishing for the benefit of the "ring" of robbers composing the monopoly. Will the Pittsburgh Commercial copy, and other organs of the S. I. G. in that city, please take notice?

Gibson, the young man who was injured in the stabbing affray at Rynd Farm, a few days since, died at his brother's residence on that farm, from the effects of the wounds at 3 o'clock this morning. The remains will be buried at Cherrytree Village, to-morrow afternoon. Slaver, the individual who used the knife with such deadly effect, is out on bail. As the case is nothing short of murder, it appears to us he should be confined to await trial for his crime.

"Death has entered the hamlet" once more, and called hence to his icy embrace, Anthony S., infant son of our townsman, Mr. A. S. Smith, who died at 12 m. to-day, aged 2 years, 3 months and 8 days. We sympathize, as will the entire community, with the afflicted parents, and yet it is better so, for the Master has said—"Suffer the children to come unto me, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." Keen as the anguish may be at the loss of the household treasure, it is pleasant to know that beyond the shadows and sunshine, the farwells and tears, clouds and darkness of this life, on the "other shore" they wait to welcome the parents home. "They are not lost—only gone before."

Funeral services will be held at the Catholic Church, to-morrow (Friday) at 2 p. m. Friends are invited to attend. ED. RECORD.—Your statement in yesterday's Record concerning the loss of oil by the Cherrytree Pipe Co., on Kane Run, and the burning of the same, was correct save in one particular, and that is instead of the loss being sixty barrels, it was about one barrel, not to exceed two barrels at least.—The fire was the work of some idle boys who undertook to have a bonfire.

J. W. S. A young girl in Springfield, Mass., who fell upon a flour barrel two years ago, striking upon her side, has been confined to her bed ever since, and has eaten no solid food during that time. For the past seven months she has taken only water. This is the story told in Springfield, and those who doubt it are shown the flour barrel. A Meriden, Conn., lad, a few days ago, was brought before a court for truancy and other boyish misbehavior and when asked the reason for his conduct, replied, "I've got a step-mother." The court held it to a valid defence, and let him go. Now that the Omaha bridge over the Mississippi is complete, there is an unbroken line of rail from Oakland, Cal., to Boston, 2,433 miles, and even a further distance down in Maine, counting up in all probably 4,000.

Petroleum Producers' Union Meeting.

A meeting of the Petroleum Producers of the Eleventh District, consisting of Petroleum Centre, Central Petroleum Co., McElheny, Wm. and Jas S. McCray, Egbert, Stevenson, Wood Farms, Tarr and Bennet-hoff Runs, was held at Odd Fellows' Hall, last evening, pursuant to the call of the committee appointed at a previous meeting, to perfect the necessary arrangements for forming a Petroleum Producers' Union, as far as this District was concerned.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. M. C. Egbert, who nominated Capt. F. J. Keffler for President. Nomination acquiesced in. Mr. James Adams was elected Vice President, and Col. J. A. Vera, Secretary. Moved and seconded that Col. Vera state the objects of the meeting. Carried. Mr. V. stated the object of the meeting to be for the purpose of electing the local committeemen or directors for the Eleventh District, and suggested that all persons who participated in this meeting be requested to sign the pledge of the Petroleum Producers' Union.

On motion, the Secretary read the pledge and the names of those who had signed it so far. The chairman made some very excellent remarks as to what he understood to be the duty of the local committee, remarking that it was the duty of every man at all interested in the organization and the future prosperity of this region, to stand by the Union as one man, otherwise all our efforts will be a failure.

Moved and seconded that the pledge, with signatures attached, be published in the DAILY RECORD. Carried. The Secretary read the regulations, as adopted and published, for the government of the Petroleum Producers' Union. On motion, a committee of three was elected, in accordance with the second resolution of the Producers' Union for the Eleventh District. Carried.

Committee—James S. McCray, J. D. Forrest, L. P. Walker. The committee were instructed to have the Niagara Farm transferred from the Ninth to the Eleventh District. Mr. Dickey suggested that any party signing the pledge not to sell oil to the So. Im. Co., and breaking the same, have his name stricken from the list, and the initials S. I. G. printed opposite.

Mr. Thompson suggested that posters giving the names of the officers and agents of the So. Im. Co. be struck off and put up at different points in the district. Moved and carried that the local committee be instructed to procure the names of the officers, members and agents of the So. Im. Co., and have them printed and posted conspicuously at the offices of James S. McCray and Phillips & Boyles. On motion, a vote of thanks was tendered the Odd Fellows for the use of their Hall.

Dr. Egbert, Messrs. Payne, Adams, Vera, Dickey and others, discussed the Free Pipe Bill at some length, coming to the conclusion that as it now stands it was an insult to the people of the oil region. On motion, adjourned to meet at call of local committee. F. J. KEPFER, Pres't. J. A. VERA, Sec'y.

Much sadness prevailed in different circles, yesterday, over the untimely taking off of eighteen little dogs, by actual count, all to the "manor born," who perished by shot, poison, &c. We publish the obituary notice of two of the canines, as it was pathetically and feelingly told us by a Wright good man "Departed this life from an illegitimate dose of strychnine, on Tuesday evening, two little dogs, well known to the patrons of the Cozy Saloon, as King and Jack. Why the prowling miscreant should seek out two such little and good dogs, and poison them unto death, we cannot imagine, and as they laid "heads and tails" upon their little "beer" in the Cozy Saloon, it was terrible to hear the epithets and bad luck heaped upon the wicked wretch who would, with malice aforethought, seek out two such innocent little dogs; and all for spite, and because everybody liked them, and being two little pets, and every person's little favorite, and the little dogs wouldn't harm a fly, and the little dogs were liked so well, and it was dogged-mean to poison them, and the dogs being dead, and "slowly and sadly" we'll lay them to rest" and hope they have gone to dog heaven, and thus endeth the mournful story of two dogs by George.

An able bodied North Carolina negro showed his contempt for cookery by boiling two dozen raw eggs, shells and all, and washing them down with a pint of raw whisky. Alexis sends word to the Record that the reports that be attended bull and chicken fights in Cuba, are cock-and-bull stories. After leap-year party dinners the ladies go up stairs and indulge in caddy eigers while the gentlemen criticise each other's attire.

Roll of Honor

Pledge of the Producers' Union.

I do hereby agree to sell all my production of oil through or with the consent of the agents of the PETROLEUM PRODUCERS' UNION.

- J A Vera, G R Kemp, N H Payne, Jan Adams, D P Williams, F J Keffler, J M Dickey, L P Walker, J W Irwin, N B Parker, L H Collom, D N Brandon, E D Fisher, Jas Loge, J M Boyles, J M Kepfer, John Waddell, C N Payne, John Reynolds, Chas Paist, H Sayers, J M Robinson, A J Albright, I N Patterson, James Ellis, S A Woods, J S McCray, M C Egbert, G W Hawes, O F Shoublom, Wm Thompson, J W Worden, W C McCool, L Osborn, M M Eaton, A J Hawley, A Montrose, J S Patterson, Wm J McCray, John Walters, J W Gordon, L B Collom, A M Kleckner, L B Farrell, James Devlin, C S Leslie, G W Winsor, J D Forrest, E N Robinson, W T Arnold.

The list is now open for signatures at the office of Jas. S. McCray.

PITTSBURGH CITY, March 13, 1872.

ED. RECORD.—The many warnings given in your paper in regard to the dangerous use of oil for the purpose of kindling fires in stores, seems to have no effect until demonstrated by calamity. About 1 o'clock this p. m., a Mrs. Vannatt, residing next door to Col. Doolittle's on First Street, and adjoining the office of the Holmden Farm, occupied by Mr. Sprague, undertook to make her stove hotter by pouring oil into it, the result of which was the severe burning of Mrs. V., \$395 in greenbacks, nearly all her and her husband's clothing, the office and residence of Col. Doolittle, and the office of the Holmden Farm.

Col. Doolittle and Mr. Sprague saved nearly all their goods, but it is to be regretted that Mr. Wm. Tadder, while endeavoring to save property, lost \$300 from his pocket, which is supposed to be burned. Mr. Vannatt is a hard working man and was away at the time. Much sympathy is expressed for him and his family, and a liberal sum of money has been subscribed for them.

The producers of the 14th District met at the Danforth Ebase, this evening, and adjourned without action, to meet at 11 a. m. Friday. G. S. D.

The Oil Men's League Organization. The following are stated to be the grand officers of the "Oilmen's League," all of whom are located in Franklin. Grand Manager—Frederick Prentice. Grand Sub-Manager—William T. Baum. Grand Cashier—William R. Crawford. Grand Book-keeper—Joseph H. Simonds. Mr. Simonds's address is Lock-box 4. The following is the

CONSTITUTION. WHEREAS, The production of oil in the State of Pennsylvania has led to the growth of a business interest of vast importance to the entire world, and it has already been divided into various departments, all sympathizing with, and depending upon each other, although at times some of them seem to be at variance; and;

WHEREAS, In times past, the whole trade has frequently suffered from the efforts of different persons to monopolize some particular branch by combinations, discriminating between different dealers and classes; and;

WHEREAS, It appears manifest that the only effective method of averting this danger, lies in the thorough and complete organization of all who are interested in any way, directly or indirectly, with the oil trade;

THEREFORE, It is resolved to form for mutual protection and benefit an organization to be known as the Oilmen's League of Pennsylvania.

The Texas Central, running from Houston to Corsicana, is said to be the best paying railroad in the world. Its proceeds, says a correspondent to the Memphis Appeal, "have already paid for its construction, so that the few rich men who own it have nothing to do in future but divide the profits." The road is about 250 miles long.

A correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, referring to the "crowd assembled to see" the Japanese at one of the railroad stations near that city, says: "The Journalist who thoroughly understood his business" would estimate the number at ten thousand. Unprejudiced persons, unaccustomed to exaggeration, might feel considerably below this estimate."

A Fort Wayne woman was married first to Robb, second to Robbins, and third to Robinson. She will have to take Robbin's grandson next.—[Boston Advertiser.

EXTRAORDINARY CONDUCT.—Miss Emma Daniels, a respectable looking girl of Port Chester, N. Y., only sixteen years old, visited White Plains, Westchester county, Friday, and became furious under the influence of liquor. In passing down Railroad avenue she gave a fashionably dressed lady the foot, and down she went into the mud, measuring her length, and ruining a silk dress and velvet cloak. Emma then smashed several show windows with stones and demolished four or five street lamps.—Officer Stevens, observing the latter transaction, chased her about a mile. He ran her into Dave Hobby's hotel; she slammed the door in Stevens' face, and locked it. She then drove Hobby and his barkeeper out with a poker, and fired tumblers through the glass door at the officer, and drove him off. Officer Bogart and Deputy Sheriff Scofield came to Stevens' assistance, and charged on her. After a sharp fight she was secured, but some of the officers received bloody noses before she was conquered.—Justice Rouser sent her to jail.

The Darwinian theory may not be so absurd after all. A journal of Bombay, India, tells a curious story, which, if true, indicates a high degree of intelligence on the part of a monkey. A rich Madrasite, traveling with his monkey, of which he was very fond, was robbed and murdered by foot-pads, and his body was buried. After the commission of the crime the monkey, whom the culprits had overlooked, ran to the house of the nearest police officer, and by his actions induced him to follow him.—The result was that he led the official to his master's body. Guided by the intelligent animal, the police officer next proceeded to the bazaar, where he identified the thieves, three in number, by hitting them in succession in the leg. It is added that the murderers have since confessed their crime and have been committed for trial.

The extension of ocean steam navigation in connection with the Panama Railway is becoming more remarkable from day to day. English and American lines are enlarging the number and improving the character of their steamers, and are bringing the Pacific ports of North and South America in close communication with ports on both sides of the Atlantic. A few English lines, "The White Star," will place their first packet on the ocean in May. It is said that the French flag will also soon appear upon the Pacific.

At a marriage lately in Maine the bride's voice faltered, and she paused in the midst of the impressive ceremony. Her little niece, a bright little three-year old, thinking the naughty minister was compelling poor aunt to say something disagreeable, stamped her little feet and exclaimed in a tone of authority, "Aunt, don't say that!"

The average American seems to have two ferments with which to greet his friends. Either doting good sense and generosity asks his victim: "How is things?" or else kindly inquires: "What's the good news to-day?" The one redeeming feature in this latter query is its assumption that good news comes every day.

The Washington Star has another libel suit on hand, damages, \$25,000. The article on which the suit is brought appeared in November last, under the heading of "A Huge Indian Pension Swindle." The plaintiff was pension agent in the Indian Territory, and he claims that his interests suffered materially from the publication.

Three rogues whose business it was to rob graves, for the purpose of supplying the obitison market, have been arrested and imprisoned at Lyons, France.

Just from New York.

A SPLENDID STOCK OF SPRING OVERCOATS.

To the Citizens of Petroleum Centre and vicinity.

I have just received the largest stock of SPRING AND SUMMER

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Now in the Oil Country, and can and will sell cheaper than any other man in town.

TO MY FRIENDS I ask you to call and see before purchasing elsewhere; as it is for your benefit I am doing this. Don't be led astray, but stop and examine my stock before going to any other place. I have the

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OYSTERS. Received daily and served up in any style desired. If you want to get a good square meal, glass of Lager to wash it down, and a nice Cigar give me a call. W. A. DODGE. Petroleum Centre, March 13, 1872.

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