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Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre Pa, Tuesday March 28.

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Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and
7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M.
cate free. A cordial invitation extend-
ed to all.

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Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 1/2
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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,
Penna.

A. GLEN, M. W.

S. H. KOOKER, R.

Gold at 1 p. m. 109 3/8

Wm. S. Black, editor of the New Castle
Gazette & Democrat, was recently elected
Mayor of that city. We congratulate Mr.
Black on his election, and feel satisfied he
will fill that office to the entire satisfaction
of the citizens of New Castle.

Many of the wells on the Blood Farm
have been shut down a greater part of the
winter on account of the water pipes being
frozen up.

Issac M. Sowers has been nominated for
the office of Mayor by the Democracy of Oil
City.

Mr. H. H. Herpst, ex-Sheriff of this
county, has purchased an interest in the Oil
City wall paper and paint store of L. D.
Kellogg, and will hereafter be found at that
place. We wish him success in his new
occupation.

The world-renowned actor, Edwin
Adams, as Enoch Arden, at the Academy of
Music, Oil City, March 28th. Special train
will return from Oil City after the perform-
ance.

Rouseville has subscribed \$11,500 towards
building the Buffalo & Venango Railroad.
Petroleum Centre ought to subscribe some-
thing in aid of this road, as it will benefit
our town as much as any other of our sister
towns. Who will start the good work?

We are in receipt of a circular from
Messrs. Shugert & Starr, the well known
clothing merchants of Titusville, whose ad-
vertisement can be found at the head of this
paper, announcing that they have commenc-
ed to receive their first installment of
spring and summer goods, and are now
opening out as fine an assortment of cloth-
ing of all kinds as can be found on Oil
Creek or in Western Pennsylvania, consist-
ing in part of the latest Paris and London
fashions of coats, vests and pants; nobly
hats and caps; elegant neckties and scarfs;
fine fitting spring overcoats of the best ma-
terial, and in fact everything in the cloth-
ing and gents' furnishing goods line. S. &
S. are fair and square dealers, and have se-
cured a liberal trade by a free use of prin-
ter's ink. When in Titusville give them a
call.

The "South Improvement Company" was
chartered by the State of Pennsylvania dur-
ing the Legislative session of 1860. The
incorporators were named as being George
Blake, D. F. Jones, R. D. Barclay, Joseph
Waltou, and S. S. Moon; but the general
opinion of the trade is that these men fig-
ure only as "dummies" for parties who seek
to create the greatest railroad monopoly
ever proposed. Until this rumor of the in-
teuations of the "South Improvement Com-
pany" became known, the petroleum trade
had steadily increased until last year, the
exports for 1871 aggregating 155,077,691,
or about 15,000,000 gallons in excess of those
of 1870. The trade of this year has, how-
ever, mainly as the result of the attempted
monopoly, been comparatively paralyzed so
far. We shall report the progress of this
attempt, and that of the attempts made to
prevent its consummation. In theory the
"South Improvement Company" is in full
operation now, but the vehement opposition
the organization encounters from every re-
fining interest in the country, except those
of Cleveland and Pittsburgh, is likely to
render it inoperative as a permanent insti-
tution.—New York Oil Reporter.

FIRE AT TRIUMPH.—Yesterday morning a
350 barrel tank, full of oil, at the McGin-
nis well, was discovered to be on fire. It
soon began to pour out in dense volumes
of smoke and flame, and it looked at one
time as if a very serious destruction of
property would take place, as a number of
wells are close together there. Had the
tank bursted, the burning oil would have
poured down in resistless fury on the wells
and tanks of Crossley, Knight & McClin-
tock, Cook & Durkee, A. H. Brouson, John
Tonkin, jr., and others. All, for the time
deemed the fire beyond control, until one
brave fellow, we wish we had his name,
routed the tank, and then came the fight.
Boards were thrown on, blankets and car-
pets on those, steam turned on from the
boiler, and, strange as it may seem, the
fire was subdued. Previously, the oil had
been turned on to the pipe, and Tidoute
telegraphed.—[Tidoute Journal, Friday.

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Producers of oil in Beaver county will
have no grounds of complaint for want of
pipe lines, as there are two bills now be-
fore the Legislature for charters for trans-
porting oil from the well to railroad by lines
of pipe. Let both pass by all means, as
one will be a check on the other and pre-
vent monopolies.

Tidoute rejoices in the formation of a
brass band. A good thing and we hope the
boys may learn rapidly the art of music.

The total production of the Tidoute oil
district, according to the Journal, is 1,511
barrels per day.

The Jamestown Journal says: Marlow,
the brewery murderer, who is to be hung on
the 29th, was recently detected in an effort
to saw his way out of jail. His little boy
conveyed to him a knife blade which had
been tempered and made into a saw. With
this he commenced to saw his way out, but
before he could accomplish his purpose he
was removed to another cell, the knife-saw
discovered and the plot frustrated. It is
supposed the instrument was secreted in an
apple.

Representative McJunkin of Venango
county has introduced a bill in the House
repealing the charter of the South Improve-
ment Company. When the bill comes up he
will present an amendment repealing all
other similar charters without location and
with large powers.—[Titusville Herald.

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Boston is become so used to being the
head quarters for the publication of ques-
tionable literature that the only way in
which the Bible can be made to sell is by
binding it in yellow cover and advertising
it in the "sporting" papers as choice reading,
to be sent by mail on receipt of 85 cents.
Such, at least, is the course adopted by a
speculative genius of that ilk whose natu-
ral bent for swindling has been developed by
Boston training.

The vote in the different counties embrac-
ed in the Oil region is 57,000. And this
vote will be lost to the dominant party un-
less the power of the South Improvement
Company is broken. Our people mean busi-
ness, and politicians can make a note of
this.—[Oil City Register.

A lady in Louisville, Ky., who paid sev-
enty-five dollars to have her face enamelled
to attend a ball, has since paid three hun-
dred dollars to the doctor for saving her
face.

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SERVES THEM RIGHT.—By reference to a
notice published elsewhere in to-day's paper
it will be seen that the Parker Savings
Bank, will hereafter refuse to discount
drafts or notes drawn by the Southern Im-
provement Company or their agents. The
Bank takes the proper step in this matter.
Other institutions should treat them in
like manner. Our hotels, where they know
their men should refuse to sell them a meal,
victuals or give them lodging over night.—
Men or villains in the shape of men, who
conspire together to rob honest laborers of
their hard earned wages, deserve no counte-
enance in this community. Let these vile
conspirators be treated as they deserve, and
they will soon be driven from our midst.
Oilman's Journal.

Louis Waelda, convicted and sentenced
to prison as one of the participants in the
Bennehoff robbery, has been pardoned by
Gov. Geary, and returned to his home in
Segertown last Saturday. The Meadville
Journal says his reception was peculiarly a
sad one, as he reached home just in time
to bury his wife, who died on Friday of
consumption. For many weeks her life had
been slowly ebbing away, and day after day
she sat by her window, looking yearningly
for her absent husband who came not. It
was a sad, sweet and touching scene, that
of the fond wife whose life held the grim
monster, death, at bay, hoping, praying for
the coming of him whom she had promised
to love even unto death. It was the one
earnest prayer of her slowly fading life to
see her husband—a hope, a prayer that re-
tained the stricken spirit for days from
its upward flight. But, alas! the golden
bowl was broken, and celestial gates open-
ed to receive the freed spirit even as the
prison gates swung wide to release the form
of him whose presence at the death hour
would have bridged the dark valley with
gleams of bliss. May the recollection of
that priceless, deathless love remain an
anchor, sure and steadfast, that shall bene-
forth keep the living in the path of recti-
tude.

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Gen. McCalmont declares the monop-
olists to be conspirators, and answerable to
the laws, and that they should be brought
before the Supreme Court at once to answer
for their crimes." Let them be arrested and
punished as they richly deserve.—[Oil City
Register.

If there is anything you know, that is
worth knowing, that we ought to know, and
you know that we ought to know, and you
know that we don't know, please let us know
it, and we will print it for the edification
and profit of those who ought to know it,
but who are in darkness and ignorance you
know.

H. G. warns farmers that they should
"eye" the potatoes carefully nowadays, as a
great many tramps are starting off on their
spring tour.

A. S. Hill, of Pleasantville, has obtained
letters patent for a safety guard, for tubing
artesian and oil wells.

"Moving day" or the first of April, comes
on Monday.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

Hortense Schneider's great influence over
the public is said to be owing to the most
mischievous pair of gray eyes that ever
twinkled.

A young physician in Sedalia, Mo., who
had waited patiently three years for a call,
at last found the following cheerful order on
his slate: "Doctor, come to Jesus."

An exchange cruelly remarks that "big
congregations will be the order of things in
the churches soon. It is most time for spring
goods to be in the market."

A Janesville (Wis.) paper says the girls
of that town "sleep with their corsets on."
When those Wisconsin girls take a notion to
be squeezed they are going to be even if they
have to have it done by machinery.—[Lou-
isville Courier Journal.

Chas. M. Reed, Esq., son of the late Gen-
eral Charles M. Reed, was elected Mayor of
Erie, on the 15th inst., without opposition.
Mr. R. is the representative of an estate of
several millions, and pledges himself to use
his influence and means to facilitate direct
railroad communication to the oil and coal
regions, and to develop the manufacturing
interests of the city.

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At Titusville, March 27th. 19td.

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To the Citizens of Petroleum
Centre and vicinity.

I have just received the largest stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER

CLOTHING

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 purchas-
ing 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

LARGEST STOCK OF HATS

Ever before offered in the Oil Country.

Also, the finest stock of

Gents' Furnishing Goods

in the country.

S. SOBEL.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

ED. RECORD.—Please announce H. B. HIXON,
of Cornplanter Township, as a candidate for County
Commissioner, subject to the wishes of the Re-
publican party at the primary election.

MANY VOTERS.

PROTHONOTARY.

J. J. HAIGHT, of Pleasantville, Pa., late Capt-
of Company "B," 11th Penna. Vet. Vol. Infantry,
will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary,
of Venango county, subject to the wishes of the
Republican party, at the primary election.

F. W. HASTINGS, of Franklin, is a candidate
for the office of Prothonotary of Venango County,
subject to the decision of the Republican party, at
primary election.

For Sale.

A desirable House located in the Lake
Shore Block. Water convenient. Is a de-
sirable residence for a small family. Terms
exceedingly cheap. Enquire at the P. O.
Newroom. 19td.

Children's Likenesses taken between
the hours of 10 a m and 2 p m, at Hempsted
& Co's Daguerrean Gallery. jan13td.

For Sale or Rent.

The building lately occupied by A. M.
Shultz as a Bakery and Grocery Store. En-
quire of

H. C. JARVIS.

Petroleum Centre, Pa. jan 30-td.

Call and examine these fashionable
Hats and Caps just received at

Feb. 21-td A. ALDEN'S.

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 low-
est cash prices! o29-td.

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

Life-size Rembrandt pictures taken at
Hempsted & Co's Gallery.

A lot of old papers for sale at this
office. tf

Now is the time to purchase Winter
Clothing cheap, and A. ALDEN'S is the
place. jan13td.

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

GAFFNEY keeps constantly on
hand Scotch Ale and London Porter, espec-
ially for family use.

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

Secure the Shadow ere the substance
fades," by going to Hempsted & Co's Da-
guerrean Gallery, Petroleum Centre, Pa.

Beautiful and fashionable Scarfs and
Neck Ties, at ALDEN'S.
Pictures colored in India Ink and oil, at
Hempsted & Co's Gallery. jan. 15.

Daily Record

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AND

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CHAS. C. WICKER, Proprietor.

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and present them to our readers every evening, em-
bracing news of great interest from all sections of
the country. We have made special arrangements
whereby we receive regular Petroleum, stock and
Produce Market Reports every evening by telegraph
from New York, Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh, which
together with Editorials and Local matters, make it
one of the most desirable newspapers published in
the Oil Region. As an

Advertising Medium,

The RECORD has no superior, as it circulates
wherever an Oil Operator or Dealer can be found.

JOBGING DEPARTMENT.

We have a large and well selected stock of
Jobbing Material, embracing the very
latest styles. We are therefore enabled to execute
Job Work of every variety in a satisfactory man-
ner when desired, jobs will be neatly printed in Colors

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