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Regular meeting nights Fridey, at 7 o'clock. Signed. I. E. BOYLES, N. G. W. A. KELLEH, A. Sec'y. Place of meeting, Main St., opposite McClintock House.

Ac 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 Hell, Petroleum Centre, S. H. KODER, R. A. GLEN, M. W.

# Gold at 1 p. m. 11014

We understan . that our townsman, Mr. W. J. McClure, Principet of the Petroleum Centre High School. is a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Schools. subject to the decision of the School Directors of the various townships in the county who mast at Franktin on the 19th of May to depide the question. Mr. M. has been the principal of our school for several mosthe past and has brought it up from comparitively nothing, so to speak, until it now racks second to none in Western Pennevivable. He is not only well versed in all the common English branches, but thoroughly understands the higher branches. and is in every respect eminently fitted for that office, and we think his election to the arms would advance the good cause of education materially in Venango county. We elucarely hope the School Directors will see ft to elect Mr. McClure to that office.

It is queer how the Pittsburgh papers do change their tune as soon as it is discovered that the So. Imp. Co. has received a "back set" at the babds of the producers, and how they do respect the said producers. The Mail says:

The oil producers and refiners have succeeded in defeating the South Improvement Company, and have obtained favorable rates for the shipment of their products east over the various railroads connecting with the oil regions. The rates agreed upon are not to be changed without three months' notice. This is a decided victory for the producers and refiners of the oil district, as the South Improvement Company had them completely shut out from market.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt broughout California yesterday morning at wenty minutes before siz. No damage anywhere. A San Francisco dispatch says that on Foot Hills, twenty-five miles east of Visa. lis, the report of a crash, as if the mountains were rent asunder, was heard. The

earthquake evidently proceeded from that point, being strongest along the base of the Sierra.

The following telegram explains itself. WASHINGTON, B. C., March 28, 1872. EDITOR DERRICK :- Wash ington committee will have to remain. Committee on commerce meet Saturday at ten o'clock .-Large numbers of the South Improvement Company are summoned to testify with

papers, contracts, &c. Every member of either house talked to are in favor of a stringent bill against all monopolies. There is a general expression of indignation from all parts of the Union against this and other monopolies we have been cursed with for years.

The country is ripe for reform. The cil men have the honor of firing the first gun. S. D. KARNS.

On the arrival of each train of cars at Foxburg, the scene is very much like the depots in the cities. About a dozen backmen are flourishing their whipe, and yelling in the faces of the passengers, inquiring if they want to ride up to St. Petersburg-"good coach, going right up, only balf a dollar." A year ago who would have thought of such performances in Char ion county ?-[Clarion Democrat.

Donation to Rev. Schofield at

the Central House to-night.

The plan of the Producers' Union, to sell all oil through the local \_committees, went into operation yesterday. All the oil sold at Petroleum Centre and Rouseville, yester. day, passed through the local committee's hands. We hope to see it in all parts of the oil region before the week closes.

[Oil City Register. A large number of our citizens attended the Academy of Music, at Oil City, last even ing, on the occasion of the appearance

of the great actor, Mr. Edwin Adams, in the drama of Enoch Arden. Everybody who witnessed the performance of the piece speak in the bighest terms of the manner in which it was played. Mr. John A. Wiley, the lesses of the ball, is eminently deserving the thanks of the public for his efforts in securing first class troupes" for their amusement.

On and after the lat day of April, Measure B. B. Leomis & Co., the well known music dealers of Titusville, will have the exclusive centrel of the sale of the Weber Planes and Estey Organs, in this region, in addition to their immense stock of musical merchandler. The music store at Franklin having been closed, Mesers. L. & Co. have seenred the services of Mr. Geo. W. Has-

### The South Improvement Oath.

The New York Tribune gives the follow. ing as the oath which those invited to join the South Improvement Company are requir ed to take:

"I. A. B., do faithfully promise, upon my honor and faith as a gentleman, that I will keep secret all transactions which I may have with the corporation known 's the Southern Improvement Company; that, should I tail to complete any bargains with the said company all the preliminary conversation shall be kept strictly private; and finally, that I will not disclose the prices for which I dispose of my product, or any other facts which may in any way bring to light the internal workings or organization of the company. All this do I freely promise. (Signed) -

Witnessed by ----

A man who was asked to take the cath refused, and now divulges it.

END OF THE S. I C. COMPANY.

The unexpected firmness of the producers and refiners of the oil region, in refusing to have any dealings with the South Improvement company, has finally brought that organization to bay, and on Monday last a represenative delegation of oil men met the officers of the S. I. Company in New York. and compelled them not only to recede from their infamous attempt to gag this great industry, but enacted from them the following guarantee:

I. That all arrangements for the transportation of oil from and after this date shall be upon a basis of perfect equality to all shippers, preducers, and refiners, and that no rebate, drawback, or other arrangement of any charter shall be made or allowed that will give any party the slightest difference in rates or discrimination of any charter whatever.

IL. That the present rates from Oil City, Union, Corry, Irvineton, Pittsburgh, Cieteland, and other competing points shall be and remain in full force at the following rates:

ON REFINED OIL, BANZINE, ETC.

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Per bbl. From Oil City, Union, Corry, and Irvineton to Boston \$1.65 1.60

Irvineton to Boston From Oil City, Union, Corry, and Irvineton to New Yorz From Oil City, Union, Corry, and Irvineton to Philadelphia From Oil City, Union, Corry, and Irvineton to Baltimore From Cleveland to Boston

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From Oil City, Union, Corry, and Irvinaton to Cleveland From Oil City, Union, Corry, and Irvineton to Pittsburg

50 -And said rates shall not be liable to any chaoge, either for increase or decrease, without first giving to Wm. Hasson, president of the Producers' Union at Oil City, at least ninety days notice in writing of such contemplated change.

III. In the distribution of cars for shipment it shall be done without discriminatino.

IV. On the basis as hereinhefore stated the parties respectively argree to carry out the arrangements in good faith and work for the material interests of each other.

In witness whereof the parties bave bereunto affixed their signatures this 25th day of March, A. D. 1872.

THE HORSE AND HIS RIDER -It WAS . appy day for Heres and his rider when the Mustang Liniment was introduced as a cure

for the external diseases and injuries of both. In the stable, the barn and the household this wonderful emollient is equal ly neeful. If a horse is spavined, or foundered, or harness-galled, or afflicted with any ered, or barness-gailed, or afficied with any other of the many superficial ills that equine flesh is beir to, the Liniment effects a speedy cure, and it is equally effications when applied to draught orien or cows suff-ering from outward swellings, strains, or burts of any description. As an application for bruises, cuts. burns, rheumatism stiff for bruises, cuts. burns, reelimatism still joints, sprains, neualgis, carache toothuche it takes preedenco for all other topical remedies, and is therefore an artele for prime necessity in families.

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The Erie Observer of last week publishes a year's record of the divorce court of that county, from which it appears that there were ninety-one applicatious for relief from the marriage bonds. This is one applica. tion every fourth day in the year. Taking population into consideration, certainly the ar-famed divorce mills of Chicage can't beat these statistics.

A correspondent of a London paper, who has just returned from the South African diamond fields, state that during the past few months the value of the diamonds discovered bas averaged about \$25,000 per month, and that 30,000 people were engaged in digging. More recently increased. owing to the discovery of a small field, only about twenty acres in extent, but of extraordinary richness. The large arrival of dismonds from South Africa have caused a perceptible deprecation in the value of those gemis n the London markets.

We are told by a tourist that the following sharp lines are written on the sash of a car winduw:

"When I see a man's name.

Scratched upon the glass, I know he owns a diamond, And bis father owns an are."

William Pratt's dog dilled William Wigginton's hog. A consequent law suit ended to the dissatisfaction of both last Sanday -On their way home from Court, both carrying abot guns, they quarreled. Wigginton fired first and killed Pratt instantly. All this in Kentucky, at Mount Washington.

Not long ago a woman of elegant exterior hired in a fashionable Brooklyn temple of

- 1.65 worship a new contiguous to that of a well
  - known wealthy pillar of the church. She
- had tried for a year to make his acquaint-33 1.50
- ance if other ways, and finally his upon 1 35 this bold and ingenious plan. Her ultimate idea was black mail, but the millionaire was too smart for her, and she now languish-
- 1.50 es in iail.
- 1 35 The adage referred to in Lady Macheth's amiable taunt to her husband, which reads: 1.20
  - "Letting I dare not wait upon I would Like the poor cati'th' adage!"
- bas been discovered by Sir John Coleridge, 50

-of Tichborne noteristy-to be of Latin origin. In the original , it is "Calus amut pisces, sed non vult lingere plantas;" or, as it is rendered in Heywood's Proverba: "The cat would eate fishe, and would not wet her feete."

A good size-exercise. Voices of the night-babies. A bad dish-drupken broil Men of letters--postmasters. Subscribe for the Record. Protection is a tonic-Free trade a poison. Not a miss-o pretty widow. How to serve a dinner-eat it. Rapid consumption-bolting one's food. Slight of hand -relusing an "offer." A humane Society recently arrested a young woman for beating an egg.

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CATE:S BACK-SUCTION PREVENTOR TO OIL WELLS, patented August 15, 1871, while tirely provents the ingress of air in oil well, we the tubing is being drawn. It is a well known to oll operators, that upon wells where Gas For are used it is necessary to preserve as nearly a pr let into the well, at any time, when it can pas be avoided ; consequently, whenever the tubin drawn fr m a well it is the cause of great injuit, as the stuffing box, being then necessarily in ed, the air immediately runnes back between tubing and casing, into the well going into the rock and gas verns, and cot sequently caush, oil and gas to rush back to a great distance much so, that it almost always takes strend after pumping is resumed for a well to be been back to its farmer condition, and often use to several weeks; and quite frequently wells have almost complet ly ruined by the air being this

in while drawing tubiog The BACK SUCTION PREVENTOR is sing to the staffing box and works in such a way the completely shuts up the space between the state box and tubing so effectually that not a perick air can get through at any time while the taking being drawn and replaced. It supplies a wart is tell, and is, without question, one of the most a unble inventions of the day, to those ergred is oil business. No well should be without it, size ten times saves ten times Ls cost by once using

TT It is manufactured at the FOUNDET AN MACHINE SHOP of ANDREWS & CO., THE OUTE, PA., and for sa e by Hardware Dealers. Tidioute, Pa., March 18, 1872 -taw Sm.

### CATES' BACK SUCTION PU-VENTOR.

TRITUMEN, F.D. 2, 182 MESSES. AND THE & CO-GENTLEMES-IN-med one of CATES' BACK SUCTION PRE D. TORS, I can conflorinly recommend the same the who have occasion to the the same, as the best pr-vestor of Back Suction on Oil Wells. Our wid ma-so small that it haraly paid to run it. After se-ting an one of CATES' BACK SUCTION PRE VENTORS the production was increased to a pre-paying well. Before we put the Back Suction Pre-ventor on the well, we invariably had to pump the well two weeks before we could restore it to itsh-mer production atter drawing tubing. This is a trely obviated by the use of the Preventer. HAT, PERINS & CA. TRICHPH, Feb 2, 183

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TRICHPR, Jan. 54, 154 Musans ANTRING & Co.-Having thorough tested the utility of CATES BACK SUCTION PHEVENTOIC, we consider them one of the non-merical inventions ever made for oil wells, and w-think we nor capable of judging of them, having three on our wells. We can now daw t big, at when they are replaced the wells produce the man-as before drawing, thus showing that the Preven-effectually prevents all ingress of air. Yours replacitally, Bacon & Brann.

Marsas ANDREWS & CO.-GENTS:-This is a certify that I have used one of CATES' BACK SU-TION "HEVENTORS, on the Lee & Hi has Lease. Economics Hill, and would not do wince it at any proce, as it will do all and more than his recommended to do. Ind I can cheerfully rece-mend it to all Oil Operators who have any Beck Sci tion Weaks.

Yours, &c., Jour Myans.

Tidioute, Feb'y 9, 1872 -taw Sat.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

ED. RECORD -- Please Annoance II. B. HIXON, of Complanter Township, as a candidate for Com-ty Commissioner, subject to the usages of the li-publican party at the primary election. MANY VOTERS.

#### FROTHONOTARY.

FROTHONOTARY. J. HAIGHT, of Pieusantville, Pa., late Ope of Company B., 11th Penn'a Vet Vol Infanty, will be a candidate for the office of Probostory, of Vensage county, subject to the using of the Republican party, at the primary election.

F. W. HASTINGS, of Franklin, is a candidate for the office of Prothonatory of Venargo Constr. subject to the decision of the Republican party at primary elociton.

Mr. EDITOR-Please announce the name of SAS UEL REYNOLDS, of Petroleum Contress candidate for the Office of Prothonotar of Venz-go County, at the ensuing Republican primity election We helieve Mr. R. would fill the office with entire satisfaction to all. Many Yoters. Many Voters

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

BEGISTER AND RECORDER CORRELATER March 28d, 187. TOTOR DALT RECORD -- You will please an date for re-nomination for the office of Register and tecorder at the ensuing Republican Primery Nie-tion. Mr. Shaw was a private in the Army of the Ur-fon and lick this right arm in our own State at 0.7 oblisting, and has given entire autisation to /a disabled in the service of our country, but /ere well qualified for the position. and having the road dence of the business public and any officer at our Primary Election on the day officer.

McCcay Hill to the iron tanks on the Boyd Farm, sprung a leak at a point back of Par- terson's reducery, day before yesterday, and about eight barrels of oil ran out before it was discovered. THE SOUTH IMPROVEMENT CO. IN CLOVER—Is the title of a Tery smus- ing sariesture of the members of the ring, which was first exhibited at the Franklin mass meeting, and alterwards photograph- ed. It is rich and racy and should be seen to be appreciated. Mr. C. G. Hempstead, photograph ar- tist, Washington street, has procured a few copies of this smusing picture, and we	Those of our citizens desiring any article in the musical line, from a sett of guitar or violin strings to a grand piano or organ- will find it to their advantage to deal with the above firm. Wm. L. Lay has been nominated for the office of Mayor by the Republicans of Oli City. Rosston, Springer and Henderson, the circus men, have a diminutive youth of six- feet nine inches high, as boss of the canvas men. He looks down on common folks,	<ul> <li>Railway Company, H. F. Clark, Presiden for the Erie Railway Company, O. H. 2</li> <li>Archer, vice-president; for the New You Central and Hudson River Railway Company, Central and Hudson River Railway Company, Central and Hudson River Railway Company, Company, George B. McCleilan. president; for the Atlantic and Great Western Railrow Company, George B. McCleilan. presiden for the Penn-yivania Railroad Compan Thomas A. Scott, vice-president; on beha of the producers and refiners-G. Shambur E. G. Patterson, William Hasson, Hen Byrom, Wm. Parker, John J. Fisher, J.</li> <li>Vandergrift, A. P. Bennet, William J. Kas, Irish, William T. Scheide, Oll Creek pr ducers and refiners; Heory N. Rogers, J. Fleming, Josiah Lombard, jr., New Yo refiners, B. Vaughan, Boston refiner.</li> </ul>	Local Notices. S. M. Pettengili & Co. 37 Park How, New York, and Geo. P. Howell & Co Advertising Agents, are the sole agents for the Pe, troleum Centre Dattr Records in that city. Ad- vertisers in that city are requested to leave their favors with either of toe above houses GIRL WANTED. Girl wanted te dogeneral housework. Enquire at J. Wotr's Jewelry Store, March 28-tf. For Nale. Adesirable and paying business, in a good lofation. Income from \$1,200 to \$1.500 for month. Terms moderate. For full	SPRING OVERCOATS. 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 cell cheaper than any other man in town.
ing seriesture of the members of the ring, which was first exhibited at the Franklin mass meeting, and afterwards photograph ed. It is rich and racy and should be seen to be appreciated. Mr. C. G. Hempstead, photograph ar- tist, Washington street, has procured a few copies of this suysing picture, and we would advise our readers to secure a copy by all means. The denation party for the benefit of Rev. Schufield, pastor of the M. E. Church, s <sup>1</sup> the Central Hause, this evening, promises to be a very pleasant affair. We trust the ilberal minded citizens of our town, irre- epective of religious belief, will attend. The Postmuster-General has ordered the	office of Mayor by the Republicans of Oli City. Rosaton, Springer and Henderson, the circus men, have a diminutive youth of six- feet nine inches high, as boss of the canvas- men. He looks down on common folks, though be bears the reputation of being as modest as he is long[Erie Dispatch. Rosaten, Springer & Henderson's great menagerie, museum, hippodrome, etc., will visit this city next month. The March of 1772, just a century ago, was very much such a cold, blustering month as the one we are now shivering through. The sunual report of the Minister of Jus-	E. G. Patterson, William Hasson, Henry Byrom, Wm. Parker, John J. Fisher, J. J. Vandergrift, A. P. Bennet, William M Irish, William T. Scheide, Oll Creek pro- ducers and refiners; Heary N. Rogers, H. Fiemlog, Josiah Lombard, jr., New York	Girl wanted to dogeneral housework. Enquire at J. WoLr's Jeweiry Store, March 28-11. For Nale. A desirable and paying business, in a good location. Income from \$1,200 to \$1.500 per month. Terms moderate. For full particulars enquire at the RECORD office. mc522. Im. Ge to the Jamestown Clothing Store for your Clothing of all kinds. They are selling goods "dirt chesp." Mer Beautiful and fashionable Scarfs and Neck Ties, at ALDEN'S.	Centre and vicinity. I have just received the largest stock of SPRING AND SUMMER <b>CLEOTHING</b> Now in the Oil Country, and can and will sell cheaper than any other man in town. <b>TO MY FRIENDS</b> I usk you to call and see before purchar- ing elsewhere, as it is for your benefit I and doing this. Don't be led astray, but stop asd examine my stock before going to any other place. I have that LARGEST STOCK OF HATS There is a the oil Country.
ty, to be discontinued. Tidicute is going to have a new depoty	tice of the Grand Ducby of Mecklenburg- Sbwerin says: "Ninety-feur men and thirty- three women were fogged during the year. They received twerty six bundted and four ashes."	mous fraud the S. I. Co. Good for him, if he only gives it to them as they deserve. Gentle Spring "theu art so near and yet so far."	A desirable House located in the Lake Shore Block. Water convenient. Is a de- sirable residence for a small family. Terms	