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### Petroleum Centre Lodge, No. 716, I. O. of O. F.

Regular meeting nights Friday, at 7 o'clock. Signed,

ALBERT GLENN, N. G.

F. O'FLAHERTY, A. Sec'y.  
Place of meeting, Main St., opposite McClellan 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. GLENN, M. W.

S. H. KOOKER, R.

Gold at 1 p. m. 113 1/2.

**HORSE THIEF ARRESTED.**—Our citizens are familiar with the facts concerning the daring theft of a valuable horse from the livery stable of Mr. A. Smawley, a few days since, full accounts of which appeared in the Record at that time, also the statement that detectives were after the scoundrel with good prospects of capturing him.

As predicted, this morning detectives A. J. Evans, of Cory, and J. F. Nelson, of Meadville, arrived in town having in custody the prisoner, Wm. H. Clinton, of Cleveland. He was immediately taken before Justice Reynolds, and after the reading of the warrant, issued April 29th, 1872, on oath of A. Smawley, which charges defendant with feloniously taking and stealing from deponent one horse of the value of \$300, saddle, bridle, &c. The defendant plead guilty. After hearing the evidence of Messrs. Smawley, Evans and Nelson, the Justice held Clinton in the sum of \$4,000 to appear at the August term of Quarter Sessions at Franklin to answer the charge. Failing to procure the requisite bail, the prisoner was taken to Franklin by Constable Atwell, on the 1.20 train. The Allegheny prison gates will doubtless open to receive the rascal for an indefinite period immediately after the Court sits, thereby stopping his horse-stealing tricks.

Detectives Evans and Nelson are entitled to great credit for their shrewdness in capturing the thief. Immediately after returning the horse, they started after Clinton tracking him from Meadville to Parker's Landing, thence to Pittsburgh, thence to Cleveland, thence to Erie, thence to Buffalo, thence back to Dunkirk, from there to Salamanca, thence to Meadville, and from there to Cory, at which place he was captured while getting off the engine of train 8, Atlantic & Great Western Railway, he having rode up from Meadville with engineer Wheeler of that road.

The new well on the Gearing farm, between this place and Cherrytree, owned by the Beuninghoff Bros., was completed on Saturday and testing commenced. The sand rock is excellent, and a good well is anticipated.

At a regular meeting of Liberty Lodge No. 7, A. O. of U. W., held at their hall in Petroleum Centre, May 6th, 1872, the following preamble and resolutions were passed:

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God, in His inscrutable wisdom, to remove from our midst the beloved wife of our friend and brother, Samuel Corbett, late of this place, but now of Edinburg, Ohio, therefore—

Resolved, That bowing submissively to His will, and recognizing that He "tempers the wind to the shorn lamb," still our mournful feelings mingle with those of our brother, and we feel that in the death of his beloved companion, he has lost a true wife, a gentle loving mother, and communally has lost a true Christian in every sense of the word.

Resolved, that the usual badges of mourning be worn by this Lodge; that this preamble and resolutions be inscribed on the minutes of the Lodge, and a copy sent to our afflicted brother.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the DAILY RECORD.

A. GLENNER,  
JNO. WADDELL,  
JAS. H. MERRILL,  
Committee.

Alden's new Spring styles of Clothing have arrived. Look out for his advertisement.

**OIL NEWS.**—Our correspondent at Pithole sends us word to-day that the Perkins, Vanatter & Billingler well, Thomas Holmden farm, started up yesterday at the rate of 200 barrels per day. As soon as the "head" was pumped off it settled down to 25 barrels, and is yielding that at present.

The Rhodes & Beebe well, same farm, is nearly completed. Show for oil excellent.

The Acken well, same farm, started up at the rate of 10 barrels daily; was torpedoed and the production fell off somewhat. It will prove a good small well.

Pithole oil territory is looking up, and lively times are anticipated the coming summer.

**FATAL ACCIDENT.**—A fatal accident occurred on the Oil Creek Railroad, at Myer's Switch, above Hydetsown, this forenoon. It appears that Bruce Wells, a brakeman on Conductor Barber's local freight train, due here at 12:30 p. m., went back to uncouple some cars, and must have got caught between the bumpers. His absence was not noticed until after the train had run nearly a mile, when another brakeman discovered portions of his clothing on one of the brakes. The train was stopped and the mangled and lifeless remains of the unfortunate man were found scattered along the track for a long distance. We did not learn his residence.

The band organ is in town to-day. Summer advances.

### A CARD.

The bills have been made out and delivered to the Producers by the P. P. Union for the dump and pipe line deliveries in April for 1 cent per barrel.

The parties can pay either to L. P. Walker, Mr. Merchant, or myself, as convenience may dictate, the sooner the better.

J. D. FOREST.

Petroleum Centre, May 7, 1872.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend the Fourth Annual meeting of the Society of the Army of the Potomac, to be held at Cleveland, to-day and to-morrow. The programme promises to be carried out to the satisfaction and pleasure of all. The address will be delivered by Gen. Stewart L. Woodford and the poem by Edward C. Stedman. The banquet will be held at the Weddell House, to-morrow evening.

A new brand of cigars has just been received at the Cozy Saloon. After trying one or two, we'll bet you will pronounce them good.

An Edinboro correspondent sends us the particulars of a fearful accident which happened near that place Sunday week:

A Mr. Glitten, residing near that place, was thrown from his buggy and instantly killed. He had just helped his young wife out of the buggy and was turning around when the horses became frightened, and threw him out with the above result. He had only been married about a year.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Petroleum Producer's Union will be held at their office, in Oil City, to-day.

Meadville has received the A. & G. W. Railway shops.

A new well of 200 barrels is reported on the Wilkins tract, Fagundas. It is near the old Red Walking Beam Well, one of the largest wells in that locality.

The trial of John R. Duncan for the murder of Edward Kenedy, near Hopkinton, Delaware county, Iowa, in December, 1870, terminated on Saturday by the jury returning a verdict of murder in the first degree.

A Missouri Lothario being fascinated by a bewitching domino, at a masked ball, and finding his amorous advances encouraged rather than repelled, arranged an immediate elopement then and there. But disgust is a mild term to apply to his sentiment on discovering in the partner of his flight his own wife! And they do say that the man's subsequent experience in the line of hair renovators and court plasterers would move the heart of Mrs. Stanton herself.

The warm weather South has thawed out the genial poet of the Louisville Journal.—Hear him:

"We gaze down the colonaded vista of the coming Spring and see the fields a flame with flowers. The hooded winter, like a pious palmer has gone to sleep in Paradise; verdure and the birds make merry with the woods. The thick-moted sunbeams stretch, cobwebs, across the meadows, where the pleasant shadows fall."

The Cory Republican has changed hands, Mr. H. G. Pratt retiring, and Mr. A. M. Martin, a former editor of that paper taking his place. We wish Mr. Martin success, and feel sure he will give the people of Cory a live readable paper.

**NUISANCE.**—Another nuisance should be abated, viz: All these itinerant peddlers, who continue to swarm over the country. They have recently been hustled out of Erie, Cory and Warren, and our authorities will not be behind other places in protecting the interests of our business men. Auctions should also be looked after that are not perfectly legitimate in their dealings. The business men must stand together and support each other's interests. In no other way can a town be made to prosper in this respect. Keep your money at home, and all swindlers will of necessity keep out of the community.—[Tidbits Commercial.]

The above advice is good and we can safely commend it to the citizens of Petroleum Centre.

The new well on the Fisher and Cushing lease, Noble farm, is ready to test. They found twenty feet of good sand, and have fifty feet of oil in the hole. The well will probably prove a good one. We heartily congratulate our friends on their success.

The Wilkins well on the Badger farm is pumping 25 barrels of an amber colored oil per day. It is not yet thoroughly tested, but will undoubtedly prove a paying well.—[Tidbits Journal.]

Sunday a fire broke out in the Standard Oil Works, near Cleveland, and before being extinguished destroyed 4,000 barrels of oil and inflicted \$10,000 damage to the works. An hour later another fire occurred, destroying refined oil at a different establishment to the value of \$10,000.

**IN LUCK.**—A telegram was received here on Saturday from Mr. Bonta, now operating somewhere in the Foxburg region, that a new well, on a lease owned by himself and Wilson Laird, Esq., of this city, had been struck, and was producing one hundred barrels of oil per day. They have a twenty acre lease there and this looks like a fortune for both. We congratulate them on their good luck.—[Erie Dispatch.]

We are pleased to learn of the good luck of our friend Bonta. Hope it may prove more lasting than his Pithole and other ventures. Here's our hand, old friend, on your success, and may it continue.

Gregori Peri, the Italian convicted of murdering O'Brien in Chicago, was on Saturday sentenced to be hanged on the 28th of this month.

In the game of base ball at Philadelphia, on Saturday, between the Athletic club of that city and the Boston club, the former won by a score of ten to seven.

There is the best authority for saying that if the Sheriff of Cass county, Missouri, fails to perform his duty, that the United States authorities will arrest the assassins of Stephens, Kline and Dutro.

At Brazil, Indiana, on Saturday, a boy named Curtis fell from a railroad car and broke his back, killing him instantly.

The total number of words transmitted by telegraph from Cincinnati during the sitting of the recent Conventions there was 800,000.

A Massachusetts State exhibition of drawings is to be held at the Horticultural Hall, Boston, on the 16th, 17th and 18th of this month.

Samuel Brush, a keeper of the stage station at New river, on the California desert, between San Diego and Fort Yuma was recently killed and the station sacked by Mexicans, it is supposed from Lower California.

On Saturday a fire broke out in Plainfield, N. J., destroying an entire block of stores with their contents. Incendiarism is the supposed cause. One man was fatally injured by a falling chimney. Loss \$100,000; insurance \$27,000.

### "Enchering His Wife."

The Milwaukee Wisconsin relates an incident which occurred soon after a grand champagne supper in that city. One of the company approaches his house with the utmost caution and quiet, taking care that no stumbling against the front door or rattling at the wrong key hole should betray him.—He succeeds in getting into his bed room all right, where Mrs. ——— was dozing, awaiting his arrival. To convince her that nothing is wrong, our friend, who is usually careless about such things, took particular pains while disrobing to fold up each garment and place it by itself, aware all the time that the vigilant eye of his wife was upon him, thinking his reputation was no longer in jeopardy, and that he had banished whatever suspicion there might have been in the mind of his better half as to his condition. He turns down the light, and with a sigh of relief gets into bed. No sooner had his head touched the pillow when his fond hopes, his feeling of satisfaction that he had "enchanted his wife" was completely annihilated by her remarking: "Why, my dear, you have got your hat on."

### Cash for Petroleum.

[From the New York Bulletin.]

From Titusville we have information of an important movement among the oil men looking for the establishment of the cash system. Heretofore long credits have been the rule, and this is found to result in speculation and final loss to all concerned.—Parties without capital or resources were induced to engage in the business as a sort of lottery. They were able to purchase a derrick engine and boring apparatus on a very narrow margin of cash, and trust to luck for the result. Oil dealers in this and other cities, being compelled to pay cash for their supplies, will exact the same terms on their customers. In this way the whole trade will undergo a change for the better that cannot fail to result advantageously to all concerned. Consumers also will probably experience the benefits of the change in the shape of lower prices. The effects on the export trade are also likely to be advantageous.

Dolly Varden, the fortunate young lady after whom the fashionable dress for next Summer is named, was the charming daughter of a London oil merchant, Gabriel Varden by name, and lived in the reign of George the Third. She afterward became Mrs. Joe Willet. For further information we would refer inquiries to a certain book of reference called "Barnaby Rudge," written by one Charles Dickens, an author of some local reputation. Whether the lady in question was given to wearing material of a startling loud character, in color and pattern, this deponent has no knowledge nor information sufficient to form a belief. About a year ago, however, some inspired modiste rechristened what were then known as "crystallines," and called them "Dolly Varden." The name was at first confined to chintzes, but it spread to other materials.—At a late dry goods exposition "Dolly Varden" silks were exhibited, and now whole costumes whose like was never seen on sea or shore, are named after the charming and coquettish little daughter of a London oil-merchant.

The trial of Libbie Garrard Brant for the murder of Ransom F. Burroughs, terminated at Paterson, N. J., on Saturday in a verdict of murder in the first degree. She was sentenced to be executed on the 18th of May.

The cordage works at Beverly, N. J., were burned on Saturday. Loss \$40,000; insurance \$28,000.

The steamers City of Washington and Baltic arrived at New York from Liverpool Sunday.

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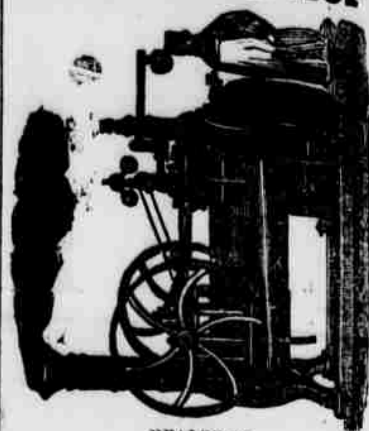
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