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S. H. KOOKER, R. A. GLEN, M. W.

Gold at 11 p. m. 1143

IMPORTANT MEETING !

The oil producers and others of the 11th interested is the welfare of the region, are requested to meet at Sobei's Opera House, Petroleum Centre, on Saturday Ev'g, May 11th 1872. A full a tendance is requested as business of the utmost importance will come before the meeting.

By order L. P. WALKER.

The attention of oil operators and business men is called to the public meeting, to be beld at the Opera House, this evening .--The meeting, it is understood, is held for the purpose of discussing the offer make by the members of the defunct S. I. C., to enser into a contract with the producers for one or five years to pay \$5 per barrel for all d, provided seven-eighths of the producers agree to the proposition. We have refrained from saying anything in regard to this last proposition of these men, until after the meeting, at the request of the Executive Committee of this District. We would advise all parties faterested in the prosperity of this region to attend the meeting to-night, and give the subject a thorough investigation. If the proposition is accepted by the majority well and goodotherwise let the answer be decisive and to the point.

Some days since we made an item to the the effect that Mesers. Fox and Bradstreet, of Titusville, bad secured a 25-acre lease of the Curry farm, on the Tarr Run territory, and were about to sink a well. We are requested by Mr. Fox to state that he alone is interested in the aforesaid lease, and that Mr. B. has nothing whatever to do.

This warm weather is just the time to indulge in that ice cool Ice Cream manufactured by Smith, next door to Simmon's drug

The wife of a Vermont man recently left a hot ple in his favorite chair. That's all; except that the bushand was crue y for some

The Eleventh Anniversacy of the Pennsylvania Reserve Corps will bo celebrated at Williamsport, Wednesday, May 15th, 1872, pursuant to a resolution adopted at the meeting of the State Association, held

Hon. William McClelland will deliver the oration.

A cordial invitation is extended to mem bers of the sid Division throughout the State to be present on that occasion.

Delegates desiring to participate will please notify William J. Harvey, Chairman of the Committee of Arrrangements at Wilkesbarre, of the number of men who will JOHN H. TAGGART,

Corresponding Secretary P. R. A.

We have been requested to inquire as to the manner in which the Road Tax of Cornplanter twp. is expended. This loquiry strikes us pertinent and we shall insist upon a thorough investigation of the matter. The amount of Road Tax collected annually in Corplanter Township, is about \$14,000 .-This sum would seem sufficient to keep the several roads to which it should be applied in at least passable condition. Yet those who are so unfortunate as to travel on the roads in question, fall to see any evidence of the judicious expenditure of the tax .-The supervisors of these roads need reconstructing badly. We shall insist upon the money being so expended, as to accomplish the purposes for which it is assessed upon and collected from the taxpayers. Every road leading out of Oil City is in deplore ably bad condition. If the tax is expended upon them, the work is done with neither skill nor judgment. The people have a right to demand reform in the present system. We shall be pleased to hear from the Supervisors, and will be glad to publish a detailed statement of the expenditures of each of them. Let us have light on the subject. - Oil City Register.

As far as the roads in this section of the Township are concerned, they are nearly all in good condition, except perhaps the Kane City road, which stands badly in need of repairs. The Supervisor and Path Master, Mesera McHogh and Armstrong, are expending the public funds in a judiclous manner and satisfactory to the tax payers. We agree with the Register, however, that generally speaking for the amount of money raised and expended on the roads there is the least to show for it than in any other Township in the county. A "showing up" of the uses to which the people's money is put, and a radical reform in many particulars, would, in our opinion, be in order.

The latest sensation at Ningura Falls is the attempted suicide by throwing himself into the rapids, of an individual who says be came all the way from England with the avowed intention of slipping off his mortal coil by going over Niagara Falls.

Finten Whalon, residing in the vicinity of the Tarr Run oil territory, was brought betore Justice Reynolds, a day or two ago, charged will violently assaulting and battering Mr. and Mesers. Jonathan Breeds .-The affair grow out of a dog fight. The defendant called for a jury trial. After hearing the evidence, the jury failed to agree on a verdict, and were discharged.

For over five years, our townsman, Mr. M. T. Connor, has had charge of the switch engine at this point, and during all that time-in rain or snow, fair weather or stormy-bas always been found at his post of duty. There are few better or more faithful engineers than Mike Connor, of the Oil Creek Raliroad.

Cleaning house is all the rage among housekeepers at present.

Weather item-hot.

Won't some of our liberal minded liquor dealers take pity on the Oil City Derrick man and send him a keg of lager beer .-Judging from the "mixedness" of one or two of the items, in this morning's paper, his 'coppers are hot and need cooling.'

Path Master Armstrong is engaged in repairing the road on the Egbert farm. good job.

Now is the time to advertise your Spring and Summer goods, and the RECORD is a good advertising medium.

The sounds of music mutth and hilarity disturbed the usual stillness of the summer air, last night. An investigation emcidated the fact that a new house had been opened to the public for the first time. The best of good humor prevailed and all appeared to enjoy the fun.

At Clint. Robson's Cozy Saloon can be found a new brand of excellent Havana begare, composed of the very best tobacco and highly flavored. Having tried them we can lestify to their excellence.

A pair of California rats constructed their nests on the top of a tree.

Spring notes -; obins and blue birds, are now plenty.

Examination for Cadetships

The examination of capdidates for the cadetships at West Point Military Academy, and Naval Academy at Annapolis, was held in this city on Monday last, Geo. Loomis, D. D., and S. M. Eaton, D. D., of the Committee appointed by Hon. S. Griffith, were present. Medical examination made by Dr. S. G. Snowden.

Five of the applicants for West Point were from Venango, one from Crawford and one from Mercer county. For Annapolis, one from Venango, seven from Crawford and one from Mercer. The committee recommended the appointment of T. M. Honey. well, of Meadville, to West Point, and J. H. Armstrong, of Conneautville, to Annapolis.

The same questions were given, in writing, to all applicants, and written answers were returned. To avoid all possibility of the appearance of partiality, the Committee had the questions returned signed with a number, tustead of the name of the candidate, and the names of the successful ones were unknown to them untill the award had been made .- [Venango Citizen.

The law has been amended by the present Congress, providing for Soldiers' Homesteads. Under the provisions of this Act all honorably discharged Soldiers and Sallors, their widows and orphan children are permitted to sequire homesteads on the public lands of the United States upon much easier terms than beretofore. The time of service, or in case of death in the service, or in consequence of wounds received in the service, or of bonorable discharge by reason of wounds, the whole term of enlistment may be deducted from the five years of residence and improvement required under the old Homestead Law .-Six months are allowed for settlement and improvement, after selecting location, and persons entitled to the benefits of the act may obtain a tille by employing an agent to enter upon the homestead to improve and cultivate for them according to the re, quirements of this new act.

Wby will ladies carry about them strong perfumes? A little cologne is not objectionable; but one is often half suffocated in public places when some woman draws forth a handkerchief saturated with some overpowering sweetness, one drop of which would be in infinitely better taste. To our minds, ladies are, or should be, sweet enough without these foreign additions to their attractions.

A New York letter-writer says that Josie Mansfield, the woman in the Fisk tragedy, bas all sorts of proposals made to her, and seceives a dozen letters a day on an average from etrangers. Last week brought her a proposition from a man in Montreal to start on a lecturing tour through Europe, he to furnish the means. By the same mail came a letter from St. Louis, from a man who describes himself as a wealthy and influential citizen, offering her a beautiful villa pear that city at a moderate rent, urging the sale ubrious climate and lovely surroundings. and saying it will form a sweet restingplace during the summer to recuperate her energies. And thus the scarlet Coneril queens it proudly, while lilyshearted Cor-della wastes and suffers. It is a strange

Last Sunday, as Henry Ward Beecher was giving out the last bymo in the moraing service at Plymouth Church, a woman about forty years of age began barangning the immense gathering, "Oh, you sid free lovers," said she, "here you are in your fine slike and satine. You came here to worship the god of tree love, and you care noth ing for the Savier of mankind. That will do, Mr. Beecher. [The great pastor had resumed his seat.] You can't fool me you're a free lover and so am I. Free love

For the first time for hundreds of years the two opposite Mohammedan sects of Sunnis and Shiahs knelt together in barmonious prayer at Meerut, on the recent occasion of thanksgiving for the recovery of the Prince of Wales.

A new and highly practical use for unpaid bills has been found; A Fioridian, who had accumulated quite a package of them in his west pocket, owes the preservaof his life to that circumstance, as the knife of an assassin entered them instead of him A package of paid bills would probably do as well; but that would be more expensive.

Leggett, opposite the Record office, is a present receiving large orders from all over the region for his celebrated oil well valve cups. These cups have an established reputation for durability and length of service, and are undoubtedly the best manufactured

Philadelpeia papers call! the morgue in that city a doad failure.

The new Erie directors propose to run : thirty hour train to Chicego.

May.

The red-winged merle from bending spray, With graceful pinions poising, Pours out a liquid roundelay In jubilant rejolding.

The cocksgrouse drums on sounding log, The tex forsakes the cover, The woodcock pipes from fee and bog, From upland less the plover.

The speckled trout darts up the stream Beneath the rustic bridges, While flocks of pigeons glance and gleam O'er beech and maple ridges. The golden robin trills his note Among the netted shadows. The bob o' link, with mellow throat, Makes musical the meadows.

The peeping frogs, with silver belts, In rhythmical ovation, Ring out a chime of treble swells In joyous gratulation. The low kine is mingled with The song of lark and sparrow. And fallow fields are growing blithe

Beneath the plow and harrow.

The moon all night, screne and white, On Lake and stream is glowing. While rippling fountains seek ber light Through woodland valleys flowing; And all night long a low, sweet song Sweeps o'er the misty bollow, From marsh and fen, from hill and glen, From brook, and field, and fallow.

It is the time of pleasant things, When Love makes up his issues, And hearts well up, like hidden springs, From rusted cells and tissues-A time to hear at break of day A silverschorused matin-

A liquid fretwork in crotchet. An atmospheric satin-

A time to feast the soul, the eyes, To watch each bird that pueses, And hall surmise that birds are wise, And men are only asper; And then to turn and raise the load

With weary shoulders bending, And take the old, well-beaten road, That leads-unto the ending.

Fine weather for making gardens,

The Oil City Democratic Club will attend the Reading Convention in a body. A special train will be chartered.

The straw but trade will soon be brisk.

The "songs of evening"-that of the mosquito.

Greeley hate are becoming quite common on the streets.

We notice by the Titusville papers that Rockefeller, Fingler and others of So. Imp. Co. notoriety, are at present in that city, in close counsel with the refiners. It is to be hoped said refiners will not allow them-selves to be soft soaped by the honeyed words of the monopolists and conspirators. Bewere of them.

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Dissolution Notice.

The copartnership heretofore existing un der the firm name of Warner & Bump, proprietors of the Columbia Farm Grocery Store, is this day (May 1s!) dissoived by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm will be collected by J. C. Bump, and all bills will be paid by him. Hereafter the business will be conducted by J. C. Bu H. H. WARNER, m9.w3. J. C. BUMP. Bump.

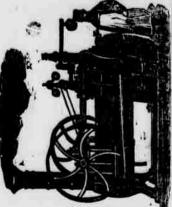
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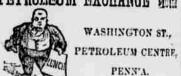
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