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Mr. E. G. Patterson, of Titusville, a well knows oil producer, publishes a lengthy article in this morning's Titusville Courier, which in our opinion is a correct solution of the question of over-production, and the remodies to be used to decrease the production. After carrying out his statements by facts and figures, Mr. Patterson concludes as follows, which we commend to the careful perusal of our oil men:

If my figures are right they prove at least that we spend too much money for the oil we get. Nothing new or startling in that, for it would be hard to convince old operators, that the average cost of getting a bar rel of ell into a Pipe Line tank, is less than \$4 per barrel. If so, the longer we continme the business, the poorer se a community we get. How remedy it? Raise the value If my figures and conclusions are right, then chutting down pumping wells cannot be a part of a well founded future plan, because it is an injustice to the many for the benefit of the tew, in other words, a large number of men baving producing wells, must stop their production because a very small num ber seant to get producing wells and also be producers. There are at least two practicable plans i. e. to submit to your judgment and by your direction, either stop drilling for a specified time or to stop new work for a given time. For a general future plan, if we could enlist all present producers, and secure ourselves against the influx of outs side capital and operators, who would operate only during our suspension, no better plan than the latter has ever been suggested to my knowledge. But I think I have shown that we have been in debt, are still, and are increasing our debt just the cost of the 392 wells we had drilling September 1, and the 151 we had commenced on that day will be finishing all through the winter monthr. As a present remedy I jadvocate the stoppage of all drilling until in your judgement it should be resumed. It costs nothing-will work an immediate remedy?

crease if no well was completed in October. November and December. Pump every well to the region, with all the adventitions aids to production known, torpedoes, burners, benzine and all, and how soon would the production be under 14,000 barrele per day, and a 14,000 barrel production means \$6 oil, and all the combinations porsible b-tween producers and consumers could not prevent it, because making no outlays, we can hold our product. An aver age decrease of one barrel per day, per well, brings us below 14,000 barrels and no distric was ever struck that could hold its producexcept by constant drilling.

Additionally, I sold up both hands in fa vor of shutting down of wells on Sundayif lor no other reason, than that our em ployeen may live like civilized beings.

The Grant & Wilson Club marched to Kaue City, last evening, to attend a kepublican rally to that place. They were headed by a martial band, and presented a fine appearance as they marched over the bill bearing their lighted torones.

Election is passing off very quietly to-day The probabilities are that a full vote will be polled.

Every saloon and bar in town is close and not a drop of the ardent can be had for love or money. Lovers of the ardent are cut short until 7 o'clock.

Not an oil well is pumping between this place and Oil City.

The Central Petroicum Company are cleaning out their wells.

We notice in town our former townsman Mr. James A. Sherr ff. Mr. S. is now a resident of Aledo, Illinois, being the owner of a large farm in that vicinity. He states the crops all through the west to promise big yields.

Mr. Thomas Healey, the new proprietor of the Verandah Restaurant, has his opening to-night. He extends a cordial invitation to bis friends and the public in genera to drop in and see him in his new quarters.

It sppears lonesome not to hear the sound of the steam whisties from hundreds of wells in this vicinity, the blowing of which has been regularly heard at morning, noon, evening and midnight, for nearly ten years. "Shut down for thirty days."

Our friend, Capt. Ray, will please accept thanks for the present of a lot of uice ripe Pears.

The melancholy days are approaching.

A young woman from Tidiou'e went to Chiesgo a few days ago, in search of a young man who had triffied with her affections and her purse. Tife aid of a detective was secured, and he soon brought the wronger and the wronged face to face. The young man was contrite, restoring on the spot \$750 of the money he had taken from the lady, and agreeing to marry her. A Catho-ito dergyman was called upon, and set all straight by marrying the pair.

On Monday last a large deer was killed near Hickory, and on the Tuesday following another one near Garland

A Washington bridegroom lately kept his bride-elect waiting two hours for him the evening that the ceremony was to be perormed, and excused himself by declaring that he had "forgotten all about it." 11 that man's talent for insidious flattery were cultivated, what a dangerous fellow be would be.

Letters from Newfoundland say it is not pretty certain that the catch of cod will be less than two-thirds than that of last year. The accounts from Labrador are on the whole unfavorable. The fishermen, in many localities, will be badly provided for the winter, and will endure sad privations.

It is estimated that by the anniversary day of the great fire (October 8) at least one-third of the burnt district of the south side of Chicago will have been covered with new business structures; and the char. acter of these new building far exceed that of those destroyed, as regards both their solidity and their general appearance .-The rapidity with which the burnt districts are being restored is one of the marvels of the age.

Remarking on the recent unsuccessful attempt of a man to swim across the English channel, the London Times says that seven ty years ago, three men, convicted of a po' litical offense, to escape punishment, swam from Calais to Dover. One was drowned, the other two landed on the beach, one in an utter state of exhaustion, from which be died; the third recovered and lived for seve eral years.

The degradation of drunkenness spare neither age nor sex. A beautiful girl, the daughter of one of the wealthlest residents It completeing 538 wells in June, July, and of Hartford, was found drunk and cling-August increased the daily production tut ing to a lamp-post in New York the other 413 barrels per day, how much would it de-

The following are the resolutions adopted at the meeting of the workingmen, beid a Parker's Landing, Oct. 3:

Resolved, That as workingmen we mee in hostility of none, but for our mutual benefit and protect on.

Resolved, That we join heart and hand with all men for the mutual benefit of the oil region.

Resolved. That we will not work for any man or company that will not pay us our wages every two weeks.

Resolved, That as it is shown by the vote of the producers that it does not injure wells to shut down for thirty days, that we, as working men, ask them to obey the laws of God and our country by suspending all drilling and pumping wells on the Sabbath

Resolved, T hat we ask the hearty co-ope ation of all men engaged in the production of oil that the above resolutions may be carried into effect.

Resolved, Tuat, we the laboring men o the oil regions, hereby give notice to the different oil combinations that we will stand by the honest and legitimate producers, and that we will assist them all in our power in regulating the price of oil.

Resolved, That we, the working men and contractors of Parkers and victuity, heartlip eadorse the action of the producers, recognizing in them our true friends, and that we will do all in our power to make their movement a grand success.

Frederick Krupp, of Essen, in Rhenish, Prussia, the greatest manufacturer of steep perhaps in the world, has published a characteristic letter to his employees. He warns them against strikes; says he will pay wages in proportion to his profits; that he pensions deserving workman after a series of years; that he will always in future, as in the past, raise wages when he thinks be can afford to do so; but that he refuses to be dictated to. The Krupp works employed in 1871, 8,810 workmen, and turned out 75,000 metrical tons of cast steel in the form of axles, tires, shafts, rolls, boiler plates, springs, artillery and projectiles. plan consists of 528 annealing and coments ing furnaces; 260 heating, reheating or pud\_ dling furuaces; 245 coke furuaces; 130 miscellaneous furnices; 169 forges; 174 steam hollers; 343 lathes; 73 shaping machines; 130 planing; 172 punching, and 303 other machines; 58 steam hammers, from 200 pounds up to 80 tons in weight. There 'are 265 steam engines at work representing an aggregate of 8,559 borse power.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

The court bouse of Kankakee county, Ill., was destroyed by fire Saturday.

There was a long session of the American and British Claims commission Saturday, at which were closed the proofs in a large number of cases, both American and Brit-

At Boston Lucuis W. Crane and Geo. W. Williams were arrested Saturday, charg ed with forgery and receiving stolen goods.

It appears that for a month past the mails in the Boston Postoffice have been roubed of letters containing checks and drafts from all parts of the country.

An engine was blown up on the seventeen mile grade, west of Piedmont on the Baltimore and Ohio Ratiroad, on Saturday evening, killing four men and badly scalding a fifth. Names not known.

At Jersey City considerable excitement was created Saturday by the arrest of Chiefof Police McWilliams and Detective Doyle, on suspicion of having been concerned in the late First National bank robbery.

Next Wednesday the anniversary of the the opening of the Chamber of Commerce and other buildings, and public meeting for thanksgiving. All the daily papers are preparing issues with glowing descriptions of what has been accomplished.

At Jersey city the trial of Charles J. Proctor and Frank Dennie, for attempting to rob the First National bank, was concluded Saturday. The j ry returned a verdict of guilty. The prisoners were remanded for sentences, which is expected will be imprisonment for the longest term.

The "King of the dogs" has just recently died in Paris. He was an ironmonger, and was known familiarly as "Tom." occasion he was bitten by a mad dog, and the wound was cauterized and healed. Ever after he took a strange fancy to house stray dogs. He devoted his time to them, and trained them so that they all rose simultaneously-a queer eight-on their hind legs when he appeared, in courteous salutation. For his pet dogs he had various names .-One he called his Minister of Justice, auanother his Minister of war, and so on.

A shrewd boy in Indiana has taught dog to dig potatoes. The boy pulls the vines and the dog follows after, unearthing the potatoes with completeness and dispatch.

At a church of "color" pear Albany, the other evening, the minister noticing a number of persons, both white and colored, standing upon the seats during service, called out very loud, "Git down of dem seats, both white man and color; I care no more for de one dan de odder." Imagine the pions minister's surprise on hearing the congregation suddenly singing, in short me-

"Git down off dem seats, Bofe white man and color; I cares no more for one man Dan I does for the odder.

A whaling vessel now fitting out at New Bedford, Mass., will carry an upright fivehorse power engine, to be used in cutting in whales, discharging cargo, hoisting topsails, if required, &c. This must prove a great saving of time and labor, as it usually requires fifteen or sixteen men to cut in .. whale, while with the belp of the engine six men can easily attend to it. The engine is stationed in the forecastle, occupying space ten by four feet. It will be the first ever carried to see in a whater for these pur-

Boston is organizing a national dog show like that of England, with several thousand dollars premiums

An unexpected meeting of a long seperated father and son took place in a San Francleco restaurant the other day. The father had been in the mines for years, but through the removal of his family his letters had failed to reach them, and they bad believed him dead until the son recognized him in the heavily bearded gentleman sitting opposite him at the table.

The swindlers have not yet ceased to make capital out of the Chicago fire, a young man having just been operating in some of the towns of Massachusette, his method being to call at a house when the gentleman is out, and, pretending to be of family on terms of friendship with him, to wheedle the ladies of the bouse out of their spare change on the plea of losses by the great disaster.

A swindler named C. B. Lord was arrest ed in Meadville last week. He had addressed letters to divers persons all over the country, promising, on the receipt of five tollars from each applicant, to go and intiate them into the "Secret Order of Mon/ toy Finders." In roply a large number of letters came to his address, each supposed to contain the requisite V, but the rascal was nabbed before he got possession of the letters. The heavy (?) bail of two bundred dollars was required, which Lord gave, of course, and left for parts unknown. It sufficent ball had been required to turn the fellow over to District attorney Swoopes ender mercles, his chances for the penttentiary would have been very good.

There is this year, for the first time, a registration of voters required, by law of New York, in all cities and incorporated villages having more than 10,000 inhabi-

The Marysville, California, Standard 10 dead. The editor in his valedictory, says he has "devoted two and a half years in bis efforts to keep up the paper, which he consideres equal to five years in the State's prison."

John Chase, of Lynn, Massachusette, bas worked at shoemaking on the same beach for the last sixty-nine years. He uses a aperone which has been in use by differeut shoemakers for upward of one hundred and twenty sevenn years.

A Des Moins cow committed suicide by ter corn.

Some young women are endeavoring to start a new community on Lone Prairie, Itlinois. It is to be Mormonism, with the grand principle of that sect reversed.

Superintendent Bange, of the Postal Railway Service, has estimated that the increase to the number of miles of service for the present fiscal year, which ends June 30, 1873 will be about 10,000, against 8,000 for the last fiscal year.

A New York manufacturer recently noticed that in one room the girls were merry and in another melancholy. He investigated and found that the gloomy room was colored with yellow ochre, the other with whitewash. He applied whitewash to the vellow room and universal happiness was the result.

The tobacco crop of Virginia, it is stated, will not turn out well. At one time it prom ised finely, but at present the plants are not ripening uniformly some of the leaves being entirely ripe and yellow, while others, particulary those at the top, are gtill green .-The fields are also faring badly, and the ground leaves in many places are entire destroyed.

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