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**Petroleum Centre Daily Record,**

**Pet. Centre Pa., Saturday, Nov. 2.**

**DIVINE SERVICE.**  
**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and  
7 P. M. Sabbath School at 10:30 P. M.  
each time. A cordial invitation extended  
to all.  
**REV. G. MOORE, Pastor.**

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7:30  
o'clock P. M.



**Petroleum Centre Lodge, No. 715, I. O. of O. F.**  
Regular meeting nights Friday, at  
o'clock. Signed,  
**B. H. KOENIG, A. See'y.**  
Place of meeting, Main St., opposite  
McClintock House.

**B. ALLEN, M. G.**  
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 7:30 o'clock,  
in Old Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre,  
Penn'a.  
**A. M. KLECKNER, M. W.**  
**A. KLING, R.**

**I. O. of B. M.**  
Shanokese Tribe No. 133, I. O. B. M.,  
of Petroleum Centre, meets every Thursday  
evening in Good Templar's Hall.  
Counsell first lights at 7:30 o'clock.  
**H. HOWE, Sachem.**  
**S. REYNOLDS, Chief of Records.**

Sold at 1 p. m. 112

**A Temporary Arrangement.**  
The plan proposed to establish a Joint  
Stock Company with one or more millions  
of dollars, to handle the crude oil product  
for and in behalf of the interests of the  
producer, is one that requires time to per-  
fect and get into working order.

After the subscriptions are made and paid  
it requires special legislation to give it ef-  
fect.

Until then it is proposed for each district  
to sell its oil at a minimum of five dollars at  
Oil City or Titusville—the same at all in-  
termediate points, less the usual freights.

As every district has banking facilities,  
it is proposed to give the agency to the  
Cashier of one of them in each district, as  
he is sure to be fitted by responsibility and  
business qualifications to look after it with-  
out risk in any way.

He to be paid a salary as Commissioner  
sufficient to justify him in employing an  
assistant to look after details.

We confess, that we fall to see, with per-  
haps a little amplitude, why this plan would  
not work well for a permanent arrange-  
ment. A minimum of five dollars at the  
two central distributing points, and as much  
more as the refiners inside and outside of  
the Combination, together with the export-  
ers are willing to give.

This plan shuts off all competition of the  
producers with each other, and puts it  
where it belongs, with the buyers.

As for tanking the surplus production, it  
always has and always will be tanked by  
the owner.

In this way no one can complain that his  
private affairs are meddled with or injuri-  
ously controlled. It gives the widest pos-  
sible margin for private enterprise, and in  
no way interferes with establishing refiner-  
ies in the interest of the producer, here and  
elsewhere.

Advices in the Record.

# PRODUCERS ASSOCIA- TION.

Will meet this evening at 7  
o'clock. The first regular semi-  
annual election, and other im-  
portant business to be attended  
to.

## SECRETARY.

Attention Grant & Wilson  
Club.

Every member is requested to attend at  
7 o'clock sharp, on Monday evening, Nov.  
4, 1912, as business of importance will be  
held before the club. All parties having  
claims against the club are requested to  
present their bills on that evening without  
fail. By order

## PRESIDENT.

## SCHOOL NOTICE.

Room No. 3 in public school will open  
Monday, Nov. 4, Miss Thompson, teacher.  
Pupils intending to attend are  
earnestly requested to be present at that  
time in order that we may perfect the clas-  
sification. No new classes formed after that  
date.  
**T. B. ALCORN, Principal.**

The trouble between the Refiner's Asso-  
ciation and the Producer's Council does not  
promise to reach a satisfactory solution, so  
long as the Oil City and Titusville editors  
continue in their personal warfare on each  
other and on promises at members of each  
of the associations. The producers allege that  
the Refiner's Association is another name  
for the "South Improvement Company" and  
have organized an association with a  
view to protecting their interests. The  
Eleventh district of the Producers' Asso-  
ciation have subscribed thirty four thousand  
dollars to the stock of the new concern,  
which is entitled "The Petroleum Produc-  
ers Agency," and their example has been  
followed by the Twelfth district, which  
subscribes thirty thousand dollars. If the  
petroleum interests desire to prosper they  
should endeavor to co-operate and so regu-  
late their differences that both may realize  
good profits for their respective grades of  
oil. By continued wrangling both parties  
will suffer.—[Pittsburgh Mail]

The Mail has a mistaken view of the sit-  
uation. The producers do not want to and  
will not co-operate with the refiners or any  
combination whose intention appears to be  
and undoubtedly is to swallow up the en-  
tire business and leave the producers and  
thousands of working men depending upon  
the oil trade for support become bankrupt  
and reduced to poverty.

The traveling public will find the correct  
time-table of the Oil Creek & Allegheny  
River Railway, which takes effect, Sunday,  
Nov. 2d, in another column. Northward  
trains—train 5, which formerly arrived at  
6:30, now arrives two minutes later; Train  
3, formerly at 3:10, now arrives at 3:37;  
Train 1, formerly at 7:07, now arrives at  
8:33 p. m.; Acc. freight, formerly at 10:26  
a. m., now arrives at 10:13. Southward trains  
—Train four, same time; Train 1, formerly  
at 1:10 p. m., now arrives at 1:20; Train 6,  
formerly at 8:35 p. m., hereafter at 7:50; Ac.  
freight, same time.

The public will also bear in mind that  
from and after to-morrow, Nov. 3d, trains  
will run by Philadelphia time, which is 10  
minutes faster than our time.

Under the management of Genl. Supt.  
Lawrence, than whom no better railroad  
man can be found, and our friend Hepburn,  
who also understands the business of rail-  
road managing thoroughly, we predict for  
this road a new lease of life.

The Wallace Sisters, those young, talent-  
ed and handsome artists, made their second  
and last appearance, at Sobel's Opera  
House, last evening, in the very extra-  
vaganzas of Alladin, or The Wonderful Soap.  
The play was exceedingly well brought out  
both in character acting and scenic effect.—  
The acting of the sisters far exceeded that of  
the first evening. Manager Dobson has a  
first class company in every respect, and  
will always receive a hearty welcome from  
our citizens.

The Company appear here again shortly  
after the holidays. Until that time we wish  
Manager Dobson and the talented sisters  
all manner of good fortune.

Several new cases of the horse distemper,  
are reported today. Parties owning horses  
should take the proper precautions. We  
notice several animals on the street today,  
that have the appearance of having the dis-  
ease.

A young man was arrested in Cleveland,  
on Saturday, and taken to Erie, on com-  
plaint of a young lady, whom he neglected  
to marry sometime since. He was taken  
before a magistrate on Monday, and got  
out of his difficulty by marrying the gentle  
damsel.

# Letters from the People.

**NOTE.**—The manager of this journal, with-  
out endorsing the sentiments of contributors,  
desires to offer the widest possible latitude  
for free discussion. It is merely stipulated  
that communications shall concern matters  
of public interest, be put in decent language  
and accompanied with the names of the  
writers, not for publication, but, as a guar-  
antee of good faith.

**For the Daily Record.**  
**PETROLEUM CENTRE, Oct. 31, '12.**

**ED. RECORD:**—Thinking a few facts in  
regard to the public schools of this place  
would be acceptable to your readers and the  
public in general, I take the opportunity at  
the conclusion of the second month of the  
session to give them.

The school is divided into three depart-  
ments—1. e. Primary, Miss M. J. Kennedy,  
teacher; Intermediate, Miss Kate R. McEl-  
roy, teacher, and High School, taught by  
your correspondent. Total number of pup-  
ils in attendance during term till date,  
202. Males, 98; Females, 104.

The school is in a flourishing condition  
considering the number of pupils to be  
taught by each teacher. The closing of one  
department left the school in a bad condi-  
tion to classify. In the High School there  
are twenty classes to hear daily. The other  
rooms are too crowded for comfort. Not-  
withstanding these drawbacks the whole  
school is prosperous and promises well for  
the remaining six months of the term.

But there are several obstacles in the way  
of success which might and I hope will be  
remedied by the patrons of the school.—  
First among these is tardiness or lateness of  
attendance—many coming as late as 10  
o'clock in morning and 2 o'clock in afternoon.  
With a little effort on part of parents every  
pupil can be in his seat at roll-call. The  
next and greatest obstacle we have to con-  
tend with is irregularity of attendance.—  
Many pupils not attending more than one  
half the time. Parents who keep their chil-  
dren at home on every trivial pretext must  
not expect them to make much progress in  
their studies. If such parents were to visit  
the school with their children after their  
absence they would be surprised to see the  
work it gives the teacher to go over the  
lessons lost by the absentees. They would  
also see that we are compelled to repeat the  
same explanations every day in the week;  
this often compelling us to spend a week  
or more on a single lesson which otherwise  
would be accomplished in one day. Hoping  
the patrons of the school may use their best  
efforts to have their children at school in  
time and every day. I am Yours Truly  
**T. B. ALCORN.**

**MATHER'S PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.**—  
Mather is the photograph artist of the oil  
region. He has been located at Titusville  
for years, and his work speaks for itself.—  
He has turned out some of the finest speci-  
mens of photographic art that we ever saw.  
Any one wishing to obtain a photograph of  
him or herself should not fail to call on  
Mather at his place of business in Titus-  
ville.

A Mass Meeting of producers is called to  
be held at Oil City, on Wednesday, Nov.  
6th, for the purpose of consulting as to the  
best mode of putting the plans of the Pro-  
ducer's Council into operation. A general  
attendance is desired.

The Jamestown Journal don't like to see  
sweetness wasted on the desert air, and,  
therefore, makes a fuss about a scene at the  
depot in that village a few days since. A  
party were about to visit Cory, and as that  
is a long distance from Jamestown, and the  
dangers of never meeting again on "this  
year's" very great, the parting scene was  
very affecting. First the wives kissed the  
husbands, then the husbands saluted their  
wives (this was on the platform,) then the  
same proceedings were repeated in the cars  
and the last we saw of the scolding crowd  
was a woman throwing a kiss from the rear  
platform of the train to a gentleman on the  
ground, who, in his efforts to catch it warm  
and on the first bond, fell over a baggage-  
man, who rudely dispelled the charm of the  
scene by remarking,—“Damn a fool any-  
how.”

Parents and friends of education will do  
well to read the communication of our  
worthy Superintendent of the public school,  
Mr. Alcorn. It is gratifying to know that  
the school is in an exceedingly flourishing  
condition. The cause of education is one  
that should interest every person, and  
parents having children attending the school  
should by all means act on the suggestions  
offered by Prof. Alcorn.

**PERSONAL.**—Our friend, J. W. Irwin,  
Esq., arrived home, day before yesterday,  
after an extended trip to the West. He is  
looking exceedingly well, and says he feels  
well after the trip.

Rev. Burchard, formerly of Cherrytree,  
preaches at the Presbyterian Church, to-  
morrow.

W. C. Plummer, editor of the Titusville  
Courier, was in town last night.

# Epizootic Tapleyisms.

The Boston Transcript, being seized with  
a Mark Tapley fit of jollity in the presence  
of the epizootic visitation, makes the fol-  
lowing attempt to get up a "horse laugh":  
No accidents from runaway horses are  
reported in the city since last Thursday.

A good motto for express companies, yes-  
terday—"Sic(k) tranet gloria mundi (Mon-  
day)"

Check reins are now unused in this city.  
Let them never be resumed, especially on  
draught horses.

A few days of this pure oxygen and our  
streets will not see the ox again.

Many people will be benefitted by being  
compelled to walk during the suspension of  
horse power.

Men who have passed for "off oxen" all  
their lives have at last found their places.  
The Pullman company can employ them.

"Wild oats" seem to be the article in  
demand during the horse embargo.

The siege of Boston is more serious than  
the siege of Paris. The latter city was  
only reduced to horse flesh. We are quite  
below that point.

Appeared at last—The old lady who  
stands on the edgestone, with her arms up-  
lifted and her bag and handkerchief swing-  
ing, with a constancy like that of the In-  
dian devotee, crying out to every passer  
that "them pesky horse cars won't never  
stop for her." They are stopped now, and  
we hope she is avenged.

The most through preventative yet found  
of dishonesty and peculation among horse  
car conductors—Typhoid, epizootic, gas-  
troenteritis, catarrhal laryngitis. It is  
a hard thing to ask for but easy to get, for  
there is enough of it about.

Cambridge Bridge looked odd on the  
rainy mornings, when there was no horse  
cars. The mass of umbrellas which filled it  
just before business hours suggested the  
Birnbaum expedition, or the "testudo"  
of the ancient siege trains.

**LETTERS FOR THE "FULL-MAN TRAIN."**—  
"Blow, wind! come, rack!  
At least we'll die with harness on our back."  
[Macbeth]

"Let not him that girdeth on his harness  
boast himself as he putteth it off." [1 Kings,  
xx, 11.]

"And yet you voluntary run  
To that confinement you would shun,  
Content to drudge along the track  
With bell and harness on your back."  
[Lloyd.]

"And rise, on morrow up erly  
Out of thy bed, and harness thee,  
Or ever dawnning thou maist see."  
[Chaucer.]

A helping hand to one in trouble is often  
like a switch on a railroad track—but one  
inch between a wreck and a smooth rolling  
property.

Every oil operator in this district should  
attend the oil meeting, at the Grant and  
Wilson club rooms, this evening. Business  
of importance is to be transacted.

A novel bet occurred at Stevens' Point,  
Wisconsin, a few days ago. A man named  
Burt Brawley bet \$100 with a saloon keep-  
er that he could go to Grand Rapids, a dis-  
tance of twenty-one miles, on foot, quicker  
than any team in town. The bet was taken  
Brawley having twenty minutes start, and  
he did actually beat the team's time making  
the distance in two hours and fifty-two  
minutes. He now wants to make a bet  
that he can beat his own time twenty min-  
utes.

A few days since an old sailor applied for  
lodgings at the police station in Sandusky,  
having refused to go out on the schooner  
Erie, which left port that afternoon, for  
the reason that just before she started he saw  
a rat swimming ashore from the craft. He  
said it was an unfailing sign of a disaster,  
and was quite jubilant the next day to hear  
that she had, the night before, gone down  
near Kelley Island, with all on board.

A few days ago a young woman named  
Eliza Drago, aged twenty-two years, died  
suddenly at Detroit. It was at first given  
out that she had died of congestive chills,  
but some of her friends were suspicious that  
her sudden taking off was attributable to  
other causes, and an investigation was  
demanded, when it was brought to light  
that an abortion had been performed. The  
unfortunate young woman belonged to a  
good family, and gave promise of great use-  
fulness and honor.

A correspondent of the Journal de St. Pe-  
tersburg describes the magnificence of an  
illuminated copy of the sacred writings of  
Buddah, in the language of Tibet, which  
is being executed for a mongol prince; it  
will consist of 198 folio volumes of which  
eighty are completed, all in letters of gold,  
and in embroidered silk, with silver clasps.  
The copyist is to receive twenty-five thou-  
sand dollars for the work.

Half the votes in the world rise out of  
cowardice.

# Local Notices.

**GIRL WANTED**  
To do general housework. Highest wages  
paid. Inquire at  
**J. WOLF'S Jewelry Store,**  
Oct 30-td.

**Notice.**  
**MATHER, the Pioneer Pho-  
tographer** of the oil region, will move  
into his new rooms in Chase & Stewart's  
New Block, Titusville, in about three  
weeks.  
He will have one of the largest and most ex-  
gant Studios in Pennsylvania.  
Don't forget to call and visit his new  
rooms.  
Oct 25-1w

**For Sale**  
15,000 to 20,000 feet of **SECOND-HAND**  
TUBING, at from 25 to 35 cts. per foot.  
The tubing is in first class order and all  
ready fitted.  
April 23, 11. **H. E. WARNER.**

**GAFFNEY** keeps constantly on  
hand Scotch Ale and London Porter, espe-  
cially for family use.

**CIGARS**  
Lovers of good cigars will find several ex-  
tremely new brands, never before introduced  
in this place, at the Post Office News Room.  
They are warranted pure Havana.

Advertisement in the Record.

Butter and cheese are almost indispens-  
able articles of food. Properly used, they  
are nutritious and healthy; but an inordi-  
nate use of either causes indigestion and  
dyspepsia. Owen Gaffney's Sunday Com-  
fort, judiciously used will remove both of  
these troubles.

**GOLDEN TREASURE** cigars at the  
Post Office News Room. Something entirely  
new.

**ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF**  
**TRAINS ON O. C. & A. R. R.**  
On and after Sunday, Nov. 2d, 1912,  
trains will run as follows:

NORTH		NO. 5		NO. 1	
Leave Irvine.		11.58 A. M.		5.20 P. M.	
Leave Oil City 6.00 A. M.		2.20 P. M.		7.50 P. M.	
" Pet. Cen. 6.30		3.37 " 8.33 "			
" Titusv. 7.10		4.25 " 9.15 "			
Arrive Cory, 8.50		6.00 " 10.40 "			
No. 2—Accommodation Freight.					
Leaves Oil City 9.30 A. M.					
Leaves Oil City 10.13 A. M.					
SOUTH					
NO. 2		NO. 4		NO. 6	
Leave Cory, 10.55 A. M.		6.10 A. M.		5.10 P. M.	
" Titusv. 12.20 P. M.		7.50 " 8.45 "			
" P. Cen. 1.20		8.17 " 8.50 "			
Arrive O. City 2.00		9.00 " 8.45 "			
" Irvine. 5.00		11.38 "			

No. 10—Accommodation Freight.  
Leaves Cory 1.40 p. m.; Titusv. 2.55; Pet  
Centre. 3.55; Ar at Oil City, 4.30 p. m.

No. 5 and 6 run on Sunday.  
Commencing Nov. 3d trains will run  
by Philadelphia time, which is ten min-  
utes faster than our time.

**J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Supt.**  
**C. J. HERBURN, Asst. Supt.**

# OPERA HOUSE!

**TWO NIGHTS ONLY!**  
**Erin and the Brennans**  
**New Scenery of Ireland!**

**AND**  
**COMEDY CO.**  
Nov. { THURSDAY, } Nov.  
7. { FRIDAY, } 8.

Showing the Beauties of Ireland, Its An-  
cient Ruins, Churches, Towers, &c.,  
together with a first class Comedy  
Co. to represent the

**IRISH PEASANTRY,**  
The Entertainment being MORAL, INSTRUCTIVE  
and AMUSING.

**Benefit Sts. Peter & Paul Church**  
Admission, 50 cts. Reserved Seats, 75 cts.  
Children, 25 cts.  
**C. E. HICKS, Agent.**

**Shut Down for 30 Days!**

**BUT NOW**  
**STARTED UP AGAIN!**

With the Largest and Best Selected Stock of  
**CLOTHING!**  
Ever brought to Petroleum Centre.

**No Old Stock,**  
**All New.**

Call at my New Store, Wash-  
ington Street, 3 doors above  
**Christie's Drug Store,**

And examine for yourselves my stock of  
**CLOTHING!**  
Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises,  
&c. Also the largest stock of

**Gents' Furnishing Goods!**

In Petroleum Centre.  
**MOBBIE HERRON,**  
Formerly with Sobel.

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