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Rev. G. Moore, Pastor.

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Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 o'clock P. M., by the Pastor, W. C. BROWN. Sabbath School at 12:30, directly after forenoon service.

Prayer Meeting and Sabbath School Teacher's Meeting Tuesday evenings of each week.



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

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

B. ALLEN, N. G.

S. H. KOOKER, A. Sec'y.
Place of meeting, Main St., opposite McCintock 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 Odd Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre, Penn'a.

A. M. KLECKNER, M. W.

A. KLINER, E.

I. O. of R. M.

Hiawatha Tribe No. 183, I. O. R. M. of Petroleum Centre, meets every Thursday evening in Good Templar's Hall.

Council fires lighted at 7 o'clock.

H. HOWE, Sachem.

R. REYNOLDS, Chief of Records.

Hold at 1 p. m. 11:30

The Council of the Petroleum Producer's Association met at Oil City, yesterday, Wm Hanson, President, in the chair. The Chairman of the Committee on Permanent Organization reported that the Committee had applied for legal advice, and that Judge Brown, of Corry, and A. S. Golding, of Kistanning, had notified them that they would be present as soon as possible. Other eminent legal advice would also be sought in regard to the legal and constitutional powers of the Agency and its charter. The Finance Committee reported, recommending that the Secretary be paid one hundred dollars per month for his services. The Committee on Patents presented a report, stating that in the suits now pending at Pittsburgh, the best legal advice to be obtained was in favor of the Producers. The subscription lists were read by the Secretary. Reports from all but the Fifth and Third Districts were presented and adopted with the exception of an item in the Eighth District, which was referred to the Board of Directors to be elected. The Council then adjourned until afternoon. In the afternoon the Council met and immediately went into executive session.

The outlook for the future of the Agency we are assured by members of the Council never was better, and it is destined to prove a success in every particular. Good!

A jolly French Creek farmer, proposes to celebrate Thanksgiving Day in orthodox style, by dispatching a well developed turkey of fairly good magnitude.

Titusville

MURDER IN A BAWDY HOUSE.—On last Saturday evening a bloody fracas occurred at Petrolia City, at the den kept by Ben. Hogan. From what information we can gather at the present time, it appears that two men named Parker and Casey were in the house, when one of the women came out and said something offensive to Parker, who, it is said, laid her across his knee and struck her several times. Thereupon Casey took it up and drew a knife on Parker, who struck at him, but failed to hit him. Casey struck Parker with the knife several times, making fearful cuts in his stomach, and near the heart, from the effects of which Parker died on Sunday evening. Casey fled toward Pleasantville, it is supposed, and has not yet been arrested. The police of the different cities have been apprised of the flight of the murderer, and strong hopes are entertained of his capture. Not only does Casey deserve the most rigorous punishment but Ben. Hogan should be served still more severely. Acts of violence are becoming too frequent in Hogan's bawdy house, and he should be imprisoned [not to say lynched] which would be meet punishment for his acts.—Petersburg Progress.

The murderer, Wm. Casey, is well known hereabouts, having been engaged in a large number of lawless acts. At the time of the great fire in this place, two years ago, Casey was running a "free and easy" in the building adjoining the one in which the fire originated, and it was strongly hinted had a hand in firing the building from which started the fearful conflagration that destroyed upwards of seventy buildings. Immediately after the fire he knocked a girl down with a chair severely injuring her. Shortly before the fire he was engaged in a shooting scrape here and received a couple of bullets in his body. He had also been engaged in other rows too numerous to mention, but always managed to escape the clutches of the law. It is to be hoped he will be arrested and made to suffer the full penalty of his evil deeds. Hogan and the woman concerned in the murder, whose name is Minnie Tarr alias Shackett, have figured before the police court in connection with a number of disreputable affairs. The authorities of Petrolia City should see to it that justice is meted out to them also.

SOMETHING NEW.—Mr. Chas. A. Moore, agent for E. H. Ashcroft, Boston, Mass., patentee of Ashcroft's celebrated Low Water Detector, Nickel Seated Non-corrosive Safety Valve, and other important inventions to prevent boiler explosions, is in town to day and paid us a call. Mr. M. comes to this region more especially for the purpose of introducing Ashcroft's Nickel Safety Valve for Steam Boilers. The advantages claimed for this valve are that it will not corrode or stick; it is not affected by the elements, which affect other valves; it cannot be "caught napping," nor does it require cord or pulley to "wake it up;" it is always ready, in the night as well as in the day hours, and it never fails; it opens on the mark to which it is adjusted, and relieves the boiler at the appointed time, preventing any excess of pressure greater than that fixed upon by the intelligent owner or engineer. The main advantage claimed for the Ashcroft Nickel Valve over other valves is that it will not corrode but withstands the action of water and steam, a very important feature and one not possessed by any other steam valve in use. Mr. Moore has put the valve on the boilers at the wells owned by Capt. Ketter on the McCray farm and those on the Datzell farm, at both of which the valve was subjected to the severest tests possible in the presence of a number of practical engineers and machinists, proving satisfactory in the highest degree. Capt. Ketter authorizes us to recommend the valve as being the best he ever used. Mr. Moore is now stopping at the Central House, and we would advise our oil men to call and examine the working model. It's a good thing, and no mistake.

Titusville has a Citizen's Corps, composed principally of officers, judging from the long list of Adjutants, Majors, Quartermasters, Paymasters, Assistant Paymasters, Inspectors, Judge Advocates, Engineer, Surgeons, Chaplains, Commissaries, Aid de Camps, Captains, Lieutenants, &c., and the small number of privates. They had a grand ball, last evening, and the Jenkinses of the Titusville papers vie with one another in their efforts to describe the "gorgeousness, grandeur and much elephantiness" of the affair. "Mush Ade About Nothing."

It is said that Dogtown, five or six miles east of St. Petersburg, will be one of the principal points of operation next spring, and that it will equal if not surpass Turkey City.

The new town at the Morrison well, has been christened Concord City.

The Angell well, a quarter of a mile from Fairview, is pumping 40 barrels a day.

Petrolia City is daily growing, and next year we can expect to see it one of the largest towns in the oil regions. Fairview is growing.—Progress.

ROBBERY.—About noon today, two young fellows, hailing from Franklin, made a raid on the clothing dealers in general along Washington street. They "cribbed" a hat from Morris Herron, a pair of shoes from Samuel Bros, a pair of pants from Sobel, and other articles. Being detected in the act they started to run. One ran down the alley in rear of the McClintock House, and was captured by Frank Cloud, after throwing the stolen property into a coal house. The other one was caught near the barrel house of the American Oil Works, in Wild Cat Hollow, by officer McHugh. They were placed in the lockup and will be put on trial this afternoon. They will probably secure a winter's lodging in Franklin jail.

For the Daily Record.

CONCERNING FAULTS.—"To err is human." The evil element in our nature will assert itself.

All the great men of ancient times had some fault made conspicuous by their greatness. Noah and David are eminent examples of these, and our modern times can furnish a host.

It is true there is, and always has been, a self-righteous set, arrogating to themselves perfection—exemption from the common taint. It is outward only. These hypocritical and pharisaical salutes simply veil their faults from the vulgar eye.

It is the man who is willing to confess his fault frankly; to repair an injury promptly; who drops bad habits and adapts good ones; who is vigilant in watching himself and not hasty in judging his neighbors, that commands our admiration and regard, and not your snivelling scavenger; your pious pretender, who, with hands uplifted, is ever deprecating the sinfulness of his fellow man and thanking God "he is not like other men."

The most lawless spot in all of Pennsylvania is Luzerne county. During the past six months there have been, if we recollect aright, not less than a half-dozen murders, committed in Wilkesbarre, Scranton and Hyde Park. In most of these murder cases, the perpetrators have escaped detection, from which we infer that the administration of the law over there is very lax. The latest murder occurred on Saturday night, and the victim was a policeman. The murderer is not known.

Music is the food of love—love and matrimony that of matrimony.

There is much rejoicing among the patrons of the firm of Hoppins & Alden, over the receipt of a telegram from Buffalo announcing that the credit of the firm was good. Several pounds of candy have been shipped on time. House cleaning for the reception will commence at once. It.

A little son of Mr. Griffin, residing on the Egbert farm, had his arm broken, day before yesterday, by being run over by a box. The bones were set by a physician and it is hoped the injury will not prove permanent. The accident was a very singular one.

The restless Yankee has set his wife to work again, and this time with the intention of imposing upon the trusting nature of trees. The bare condition of the trees during the bleak months of winter strikes him as being far from pleasing to the general eye, and he proposes to remedy it by a system of steam pipes twining among the roots of shade trees, and kept warm by steam from an ordinary furnace boiler.

A Mrs Green brought suit against a Mrs. Bechtel, a dress maker of San Francisco, to recover the spot of a silk dress and to recover back the price which the former had paid the latter for the making, some fifty five dollars all told. The dress was not tried on when taken from the shop, the plaintiff relying upon the dress maker's assurance that it was a good fit. The defence was that the dress was a natural fit, but that the plaintiff padded herself so that the dress would not look. The plaintiff's main witness was a regular Mantilini—man milliner—who swore the dress was improperly made. It does not appear that he swore it was not a fit, but that it was improperly made.—From which the inference is that the woman dressmaker in following the outlines of nature did not understand her business. The plaintiff recovered a verdict.

Forrest Chapel, Sugar Creek township, is just now the scene of a lively protracted meeting.

Diphtheria still prevails in Canal and Utica, and several children have died within a week.

The Chicago Tribune says that, in consequence of the profitable nature of the "sk," trade this season, large contracts for ships to be built this winter have been made, mostly at Chicago, almost exclusively intended for the grain trade.

Madame Schwarz, the Swedish author, says that America is the cradle of the highest ideas—in advance of other nations.

Letters from the People.

NOTE.—The manager of this journal, without 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 guarantee of good faith.

A Query.

MR. EDITOR:—For the benefit of an interested and inquiring public, I would ask the School Directors what duties are expected to be performed by the teachers of our public schools? i. e., Are they employed to teach and instruct the children, in such studies as the school board may direct, or are they employed to assault and maltreat children? The above are questions that are of vital importance to all parents who have children to educate and especially in Petroleum Centre. These questions are prompted by a recent assault upon a young lady in one of our public schools. Will the School Board please answer the above questions? More anon.

TAX PAYER.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

What is the best thing to prevent a widow from despairing? Repairing.

The "disadvantage of being a woman" Anna Dickinson found to be \$19,000 last year.

An Italian and a Japanese woman have been married in California. What a mixture.

The disgusting habit of snuff dipping is becoming prevalent with the mill girls of Providence, R. I.

A Hungarian proverb: The man who on his wedding day starts out as a lieutenant in the family will never get promoted.

The money was recently collected at Kalmar, Michigan, upon a note that had passed through the Chicago fire and was nothing but ashes, yet had been preserved intact between two sheets of cotton batting.

Four colored Savannah patriots have claims against the United States for \$1,682-50 for fences and chickens destroyed during the late unpleasantness.

An inventor has supplied a long-felt want by inventing a gate hinge strong enough to support two lovers suspended by the arms.

Two women of Pekin, Ill., recently brutally beat a young lady teacher of that place because she had punished the son of one of them.

Miss Throckmorton married the Baron Lemme in New York. They wanted her to marry some one else, but she said, "Lemme alone."

Old anglers say that if you wish to catch a fish, you must not throw your bait directly at him. Young ladies may take notice.

A Terre Haute woman's pet puppy recently swallowed a diamond ring on her finger while she was feeding him. He was considerably cut up about it soon afterward.

Another nice English murder is announced. An Islington mother sharpened a carving knife on the fire-poker and then cut the throat of her little daughter as she lay asleep.

It is said of a fashionable lady who went to a party not long since that she arrived there about the first of the evening, but the last of her dress did not arrive until after 12 o'clock.

A Mrs. Jones, of Cambria, Iowa, fell dead on seeing her little son sitting at the top of the staging of a newly built windmill, to which dangerous position he had climbed.

There seems to be a general improvement in the wells in the Petrolia district since the suspension.

The trains on the Valley Road run on Philadelphia time, which is twenty minutes faster than the time here.

The Karnes well, No. 1, on the McClymonds farm, is doing about 100 barrels per day.

French Creek is completely frozen over above Franklin.

Cochranon luxuriates in three inches of genuine snow.

Two fatal cases of typhoid fever have occurred in Sugar Creek township since Sunday.

"Deer tongue" is the name of a little plant that grows abundantly in the pine forests throughout the lower Southern States. This little plant is now attracting considerable attention as an article for scenting tobacco and wrappers for cigars, the leaves having a strong vanilla odor. A Southern paper is confident that the day is not far distant when the "deer tongue" will become one of the most important products of the Southern States.

Local Notices.

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