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Pet. Centre, Pa., Tuesday Jan 14th

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Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and
1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M.
gratis free. A cordial invitation extend-
ed to all.

Rev. G. Moore, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7
o'clock P. M. by the Pastor, W. C. BURCH-
ARD. Sabbath School at 12 1/2, directly
after forenoon service.

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



Petroleum Centre Lodge, No. 715, I. O. of 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
McClintock House.

A. O. of U. W.

Liberty Lodge No. 7, A. O. of U. W.,
meets every Monday evening at 7 1/2 o'clock,
in Odd Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre,
Pa. A. M. KLECKNER, M. W.

I. O. of R. M.

Minnekaone Tribe No. 183, I. O. R. M.
of Petroleum Centre, meets every Thursday
evening in Good Templar's Hall.
Council fire lighted at 7 o'clock.
H. HOWE, Sashem.
S. REYNOLDS, Chief of Records.

Sold at 1 p. m. 112 1/2

The Upper Country.

For two years past the lower country has
drained us of men and means; has dwarfed
enterprise, greatly curtailed business and
induced many to believe that the upper
country would soon be altogether deserted.

It is needless to say that a good deal of
grave misapprehension exists. While it is
true that our oil development has been ar-
rested, and the Parker and Petersburg dis-
tricts opened up, a careful comparison will
show that "all is not gold that glitters," and
that the operators below who have made
money and got it need all their's on the
ground.

The average production down there, not-
withstanding their large wells, is only six
barrels per day. Quite a large number of
wells are producing but one barrel daily and
under. The cost of putting a well down
there is twice or thrice what it is here.—
Their depth makes them difficult to operate
and this trouble will increase as the me-
chanical and tubing get old. The pipe lines
are so handied that there is no tankage for
well owners, and the running of oil from
the wells is slow and uncertain.

While here, our railroad facilities, pipe-
age and tankage are unequalled. Our ter-
ritory is not half tested. The depth any-
where to the third sand is not over 1,000
feet and usually under that.

The Octave, Upper Bennehoff, Triumph,
Colerado, Enterprise and Sande Districts,
offer every inducement to operators who are
tired of deep drilling. Reaction has al-
ready set in. When cheap oil has had its
day, as every day has, and gives way to a
fair paying price, as it must, the chance
is for many of our leading operators will

abandon the lower fields and use their money
and energy at home.

The pumping wells here will average four
barrels daily and are all paid for. By
burning oil for fuel, we can pump cheap oil
as well as our neighbors, and when the
price gets better make a little money.

Let us take heart. Business may languish
but it cannot die. After crude strikes the
bottom it will go up steadily to a fair
price; every branch of industry will revive,
and the upper oil region will enter on a
career of prosperity unequalled by any
former experience. Selah!

OIL ITEMS.—Jonathan Watson, of Titus-
ville, has bought several farms in the vicinity
of Cherrytree village lately. But for the
prostration in the oil business times
would be heavy there.

Col. Devlin of this place, has a large lease
on the Buxton farm, Upper Bennehoff ter-
ritory, but suspended operations until times
are better.

Experiments are being made in the East
to test the value of crude oil for gas pur-
poses. If it can be used more cheaply than
coal it will rapidly take its place.

The Week of Prayer.

We learn that the services which were
held every evening of last week, in the
Presbyterian Church of this place, were well
attended, the audiences on Sabbath last be-
ing unusually large. The interest is such
that daily meetings are being held this
week, at 7 o'clock P. M. The Church is
hoping for "showers of blessing."

Remember the benefit ball for George W.
Wilson, at the Opera House, to-morrow
night

Among the flourishing secret societies in
our town, which is rapidly growing in num-
bers and exhibits a healthy condition, both
financially and otherwise, is the Ancient
Order of United Workmen. Quite a num-
ber have joined the Lodge recently, and
the interest continues to revive. Among
the benefits to be derived we may mention
the insurance. John Walters, whose de-
mise was recently announced, was a mem-
ber of the order. By the rules his family
receives one dollar insurance from each
member, which will reach the handsome
sum of nearly \$1,200, thereby affording re-
lief providing they needed it, and carrying
out the motto of "Charity," a cardinal
principle of the Order. We wish the Lodge
abundant success in their labor of ennobling
and elevating the working man.

The banker's association of the oil region
met at Oil City today.

The Petroleum Producer's Council met
today, at Oil City. The Titusville Courier
of this morning administers the Council
some good advice in regard to utilizing oil
for burning purposes and for making gas
which if once brought into practical use
would largely increase the demand and use
up the surplus. It would be well for the
Council to consider these important ques-
tions.

The lee is gradually going out of the
Creek.

A lodge of the Ancient Order of United
Workmen was duly instituted at the Good
Templar's Hall, Brady's Bend, about three
weeks since, by D. D. G. M., J. O. Rock-
well, of Franklin. The Lodge started with
quite a number of influential citizens of that
vicinity, and its prosperity is certain.

Now the Pittsburgh refiners refuse to take
their proportional allotment of oil, practi-
cally at least, and there is every prospect
that the 10 days' notice required to break
up the combination will be given soon
by either producers or refiners. The
sooner this is done the better it will be for
both, especially the producers. Now there
is an uncertainty that deranges the market
of itself, let alone the excess of production,
which is the prime cause of the mischief.—
Let the combination be formally arbitrated.
Let the market settle itself and let the
whole business start fair again from the
bottom. It will bring relief quicker than
any other way, and the sooner the produc-
ers become satisfied of this the sooner will
their distress be over. We will predict
here that no combination will ever be formed
again, or if there is one, it will be as
complete a failure as the present.
[Oil City Telegraph.]

The Police Mutual Association of New
York City last year paid \$22,947 to heirs of
deceased members.

The Hudson river ice crop is estimated at
a million and a half tons, and will all be
gathered by the first of February.

The St. Louis Times yesterday published
an elaborate and detailed description of all
the iron works and iron mines in the State,
their capacity, product, &c. The product
of last year was 126,422 tons.

Barnes and Dunston, negroes, were hung
at Jefferson, Ga., last Friday, for rape.—
The former confessed, but the latter asserted
his innocence.

Howling Hammond.

[From the Dubuque Herald]

Almost everybody in Dubuque knows how
Mr. Hammond's revival meeting are pro-
gressing; the papers have been full of them,
and no subject has been so much discussed
in the family and social circles. The ques-
tion is yet undecided as to whether they
will accomplish more good than evil or more
evil than good, and it probably is one of
those questions that never will be decided.
It may be a matter of curiosity to people in
Dubuque to know what is thought of our
revival abroad, and we therefore append the
remarks of the Monticello Express:

"Rev. E. P. Hammond, the noted reviv-
alist, is creating considerable sensation in
Dubuque. Last week, in company with a
number of ladies and gentlemen, he entered
one of the saloons, and exhorted the prop-
rietor to repentance. That individual
was so pleased and flattered with the atten-
tion shown him that he very properly 'set
'em up' for the crowd, and was greatly ab-
rigrated to find that his liberality was not ap-
preciated. After a few words of prayer for
the impenitent beer slinger the 'praying
band' left him to his own devices. He says
that the visit was worth more to him than a
month's advertisement in a daily paper, for
all the rest of the day and several days
thereafter, he was favored with an extraor-
dinary run on beer and boulogna, owing to
the curiosity of the 'pays' to hear all about
his strange visitation. Whether the reviv-
alist succeeds in making converts or not, it
is clear, that he is making a stir among the
dry bones of Dubuque. Only the other day
he mounted a horse, and rode through the
streets of this city, crying at the top of his
voice, 'Come to Jesus'; and calling upon the
people to come out to the meeting, creating
an excitement like that made by the proph-
et of old, in the streets of Nineveh. If Mr.
Hammond's services could be secured for
Monticello, it would be an excellent thing.
The last revival here did not 'pan out' very
well. We all of us need stirring up, and who
knows but that the most unbelieving, case-
hardened, and stiff-necked among us might
not be brought to our marrow bones, by the
earnest appeals, and fervent eloquence of
this impassioned and zealous divine."

OIL NEWS.—A new well was struck on
the D. Ashbaugh farm, about a mile south-
west of Edenburg, in Beaver township. It
was tared the beginning of the week, and
started off finely. It is estimated at from
50 to 100 barrels per day.

The well on the Young farm further down
Beaver creek, is nearly down with good
prospects.

Other developments in that section are
noticed by our Montana correspondent.

[The production of oil is now estimated at
over 20,000 barrels a day—largely exceeding
the demand. The combination does not
keep up the price, and oil was quoted at
Parker yesterday at \$2.35 a barrel. We
regret that there is a prospect of a general
smash up of those engaged in producing oil
who have not capital or backers to carry
them through the crash. A smaller pro-
duction and refiners at home are absolutely
necessary for the producers' safety.—[Clarion
Democrat.]

It is probably well known that various
parties are making all the efforts within
their power to bear the oil market. The
usual acts employed for the purpose are re-
sorted to, and as is generally the case, bears
in the present instance will succeed for a
time. Of course, the same parties will in
turn soon become bulls. Already we hear
of extensive preparations for tanking oil,
and money will not be wanting for buying
great quantities of oil at present figures. In
this way production will be relieved, tem-
porarily, but will go on, we suppose, with
development, piling one evil upon another
until there shall come a general crash,
which, in its effects, will be the more over-
whelming, the longer it shall be deferred.
Hence the parties who bear the market for
the purpose of buying oil to tank may
have, after getting it, to hold it in store a
long time, much longer it may be, than
they have prepared for; while producers,
instead of stopping their drills, will per-
haps go on producing at a poor dying rate

Joseph A. Whitman, a lawyer, is under
arrest at Boston charged with forging a
mortgage note for ten thousand dollars and
uttering the same. The accused is alleg-
ed to be implicated with Charles, of Canada,
on a charge of fraudulent transactions.

The deaths in Boston last week numbered
207, of which fifty-six were from small-pox.

The Hawkins Zouaves, of New York, will
have a general reunion February 8, the an-
niversary of their brilliant bayonet charge
at Roanoke Island. The general commands
ere under whom the regiment served have
been invited.

A slight shock of an earthquake was felt
at Brunswick, Maine, at five o'clock Sat-
urday morning.

Number of hogs slaughtered in Cincinnati
since November 1, 188,900.

Ubaski has accepted Dion's challenge of
Tuesday, and the terms proposed, except
the number of games to be four, number of
points 2,000, the first game to be played in
New Orleans, and the balance where Dion
designates.

At Snowbegan, Maine, Saturday morning
the thermometer indicated thirty degrees
below zero.

The trial of Ex-Comptroller Connolly, of
New York, for frauds will take place this
month. Saturday an affidavit was filed by
his counsel that he has a good and substan-
tial defense.

It is stated that there is clear evidence
against Houghtaling, charged with poison-
ing the Hazelton family at Coyemass, N.
Y.

It is understood that all the conductors of
the Harlem Railroad have tendered their
resignations in consequence of an order re-
quiring them to keep check books of their
receipts and give a punched ticket to each
passenger paying fare.

Rev. A. H. Williams, of Corry, has re-
ceived the unanimous call to the pastorate
of the Baptist Church in Franklin. The
congregation are now worshipping in their
new chapel.

A rural gentleman standing over a register
in a store in Syracuse attracted general at-
tention to himself by observing to his wife,
"Marlar, I guess I'm gold' to have a fever,
I feel such hot streaks runnin' up my leg."

The Citizen that should the State con-
clude to erect an additional Inside Asylum
in this part of the Commonwealth, Franklin
would be just the place for it.

Jamstown has determined that no more
oil shall be sold in that town under 110 deg.
Fahrheit. The penalty for selling oil at
a less fire test than that is fixed at \$50, one
half to go to the informer.

Work on the Bennett Branch Railroad is
progressing rapidly, notwithstanding the se-
vere wintry weather. Fully five thousand
men are at work, and the tracklayers will
reach Brookville by April 1.

The grand officers of the Grand Chapter
of Masons of Pennsylvania will visit Oil City
chapter No 238, on Wednesday, the 15th
inst. at eight o'clock p. m. for the purpose
of exemplifying the work. They visit
Duquesne chapter No 195, Pittsburgh, on the
13th; Washington chapter No. 150, Wash-
ington; the 14; Solomon chapter No. 191,
Meadville, the 16th, and Temple chapter
No. 245, the 18th.

If you
Want a Salesman,
Want a Servant Girl,
Want to Sell a Horse,
Want to Sell a Patent,
Want to Lead Money,
Want to Buy a House,
Want to Sell a Carriage,
Want to Borrow Money,
Want to Sell an Oil Well,
Want to Buy an Engine or Boiler,
Want to Sell a House and Lot,
Want to find a Strayed Animal,
Want to Purchase an Oil Interest,
Want to Sell a Piece of Furniture,
Want to Buy a Second-hand Carriage,
Want to Sell Tubing, Casing, Gas Pipe,
Want to Find an owner for anything
Found, advertise in the Record, as no less
than ten thousand people read it weekly.

NOTICE.—Mr. James S. McCray having
removed to Franklin, parties having com-
munication with him on business or other-
wise, are requested hereafter to address their
letters to that point.
St.

SEE HERE.
H. H. WARNER, has just received from
home twenty cases more of that cider, that
was never beat for quality. Also, apples,
eggs, butter, &c. The best butter ever
brought into this town, which he will sell for
cash, but will not trust any more goods after
the first of January, 1873.
All those indebted to him are requested
to call and settle without delay and save
costs.
H. H. WARNER.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R.R.

Winter Arrangement.
On and after Sunday, Nov. 30, 1872.

	GOING SOUTH				GOING NORTH			
	Buff	Day	Night	O. C.	P. A.	Acc.	P. A.	Acc.
Titusville,								
Petroleum-Cen,	12 40	7 37	7 05	5 05				
Oil City,	1 50	8 30	7 58	5 35				
South Oil City,	3 15	9 15	8 45	6 05				
Franklin,	4 30	9 30	9 00	6 40	7 15			
Foxburgh,	5 45	9 45	9 30	6 55	7 45			
Parker's,	6 45	11 47	12 12	7 25	8 36			
Brady's Bend,	7 25	1 15pm	1 15	8 30	10 15			
Kittanning,	8 37	2 35	3 10					
West Penn J'n,	7 10	4 40	4 15					
Pittsburgh,	8 30	5 20	6 20					
	p. m.	p. m.	a. m.					
GOING NORTH								
Pittsburgh,	8 00	1 10	9 31					
West Penn J'n	9 28	2 38	11 34					
Kittanning,	10 30	3 35	12 7 am					
Brady's Bend,	11 21	4 36	2 03 6 am					
Parker's,	12 m	5 10	2 55	7 42	8 20			
Foxburgh,	12 13pm	5 20	3 20	7 55	8 23			
Franklin,	2 05	7 16	5 07	10 28	8 36			
South Oil City,	2 30	7 35	5 35	10 50	9 00			
Oil City,	3 45	7 45	5 45	11 00				
Pet. Centre,	4 35	8 35	6 30	12 20 pm				
Titusville,	4 35	9 16	7 10	3 40				
	p. m.	a. m.	a. m.					

J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Supt.

Local Notices.

For Sale.

My stock and fixtures are now for sale,
and my building for sale or rent.

J. W. BRADY.
Petroleum Centre, Dec. 28, 1872.

TAKE NOTICE.

Having disposed of my Lumber yard
with the intention of leaving the Oil
Region, all parties knowing themselves in-
debted to me will please call at once and
settle and thereby save costs.

R. F. STERNBERG.
Petroleum Centre, Jan. 7, 1873.

All Read that Run-Price Reduced.

Discount to cash customers—
thankful for past favors, and un-
der the stringency of the money
market, knowing that we can
buy cheap for cash, we prefer to
give to our patrons the benefit
of cash prices. On and after
the first day of January, 1873
we propose to sell for cash,
which will be to your advantage
as well as our own. Call and
see us and we will give you
prices that will defy competi-
tion. Our motto is live and
let live.

MEASE & ARMSTRONG

All those that are indebted
to us for 30 days are request-
ed to call and settle by the
10th of Jan. 1873.

Advertisement in the Record.

H. H. Warner



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