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Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and
10 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M.
costs free. A cordial invitation extended
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
and 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 meetings nights Friday, at 7
o'clock. Signed.

E. ALLEN, N. G.

B. H. KOONER, 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,
Penn'a.

A. GLENK, M. W.

M. T. CONNOR, R.

I. O. of R. M.

Minnekaunee 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, Sec'em.

E. REYNOLDS, Chief of Records.

Sold at 1 p. m. 114

When will sensible men cease arguing
that money is like any other property—
wheat, corn, &c? That assertion is always
the starting point of the advocates of free
trade in money, and there is no truth in
the assertion. Money is a species of prop-
erty that every man is seeking; everybody
is after money, but there is no other species
of property that every person is seeking.—
Money therefore represents all kinds of prop-
erty; it supplies the place of other kinds,
for with it every kind can be attained.—
Therefore it is that no argument applies to
other kind of property can be applied to
money.

We are not certain in the experiment of
free trade in money would not be for the
benefit of the country; we are willing to see
it tried, and however it may result will not
find fault with our law-makers for making
the experiment. In everything connected
with business and financial matters the only
true test is experience. Book learning on
the subject of finance is good for nothing,
for the reason that every theory must be
subject to the peculiar condition of surround-
ings. Try, if you please, Messrs. Legisla-
tors, free trade in money, but don't argue
from false premises and don't declare that
money is like any other property, for you
stultify yourselves when you do so.

The California cotton crop is likely to be
much larger this year than last. Its culti-
vation has already proved so remunerative
that the farmers are turning their attention
to it, and in suitable locations it is planted
in place of corn and wheat.

Within six months Chattanooga will have
one of the largest and best cotton factories
in the South.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Three Houses Burned in the Lake Shore Block.

About half past nine o'clock this forenoon
a fire broke out in the house of a man named
McCormick, a resident in the Lake
Shore Block, which for a time threatened
the safety of the entire block, but fortun-
ately was put out by the exertions of the
citizens at large who worked with a will
and averted a general conflagration.

As near as can be learned the fire origi-
nated from a defective flue in the house of
McCormick. From his house the fire spread
to the residence of a colored man named
Brown, and from thence to the house of Mr.
Dan. McEnerney, both of which were de-
stroyed.

The household effects in the three houses
were all saved through the exertions of the
bystanders, and the loss is only confined to
the buildings, which originally cost about
\$3,000, and to the present owners were
probably worth full as much as when first
built.

During the prevalence of the fire quite a
serious accident occurred. Mr. R. E.
Stokes, an employee of the Central Petro-
leum Company, while engaged in tearing
down a building to prevent the spread of
the flames, threw a board out of the window
which unfortunately struck Mr. McEnerney
in the head, quite seriously injuring him
about the head and face. The accident
was purely accidental and no blame can be
attached to Mr. Stokes.

Credit is due our citizens, one and all,
who turned to and worked with a will to
suppress the flames.

The fire originated from a defective flue
in the house occupied by McCormick.

We learn that a true bill was brought by
the Grand Jury against T. B. Alcorn, in
the school whipping case of Alcorn versus
Moore.

By telegram we learn that Mr. Owen
Gaffney has received his license for the en-
suing year.

Twenty-five degrees below zero this
morning, and going down.

If the present cold weather continues we
propose moving to the North Pole soon.

A dance at Shamburg last night was at-
tended by several of our citizens.

One of the most accomplished English
writers of the day states that he has found
the American people much more receptive
of art ideas than than of England, and that
he consequently has great hopes of the fine
arts in America.

The real estate transactions in Chicago
during the past year, as reported, have
been enormous. The sales reach the large
aggregate of 10,386, and the stipulated con-
sideration therefor \$61,203,556. The larg-
est sale was in August, reaching \$6,924,062
Of course a large proportion of this is specu-
lative, and the payments shown will not,
perhaps, average over twenty-five per cent.

Persons who wear moustaches are often
dreadfully embarrassed when eating curry
or pea soup by the accumulation of the ail-
ment upon their hirsute appendages. Such
will be glad to learn that a scrubber muzzie
intended to obviate this inconvenience has
been invented. It covers the upper and
lower lips having a slit in it to correspond
with the mouth, and fastening behind the
occiput with a spring.

There is a statesman in the Chicago Board
of Aldermen who has discovered a new rea-
son in support of open tipping houses on
Sunday. "Whiskey," says he, "is a thing
can be kept over from Saturday till Mon-
day; but lager beer cannot!" Whence arises
a most logical necessity that lager beer shall
be consumed on Sunday.

Fisk University the colored education
institution at Nashville, Tenn., has profited
so largely by its band of "jubilee singers,"
who have been traveling through the North
that it will erect a fine college building
from the proceeds.

Disasters on the Western rivers have de-
stroyed \$3,225,200 worth of property during
the current year. Fifty-eight lives were
lost by explosions, and 365 by falling over-
board.

Nebraska proposes to compromise with the
demon of unrighteousness by a legislative ac-
t to the removal of public gambling tables
from the first or street floors of buildings in
towns of one thousand or more inhabitants.
This is almost as bad as the Chicago ordi-
nance closing the front doors of the drinking
saloons on Sunday.

The frequency of mining assessments in
San Francisco begins to exercise an influ-
ence on the value of mining stocks. For
some months past they have averaged one
per day, and it is expected that a large
number of others will soon become delin-
quent.

The opium eaters have at last a quar-
terly magazine. Its title is, "The Asiatic"
Magazine devoted to the interests of Opium
Eaters; and it is issued at Laporte, In-
diana. The last number has alarming arti-
cles on "Opium Eating in Schools," and
on "Opium—the Sheet Anchor of the Medi-
cal Profession." Out of 560,000 pounds of
opium exported from Smyrna in one year,
the United States took 280,000.

The shoe and leather trade is an impor-
tant item in the growing business of Balti-
more. The total sales of boots, shoes and
rubbers, last year, amounted to \$16,100,000;
of leather, \$3,000,000, and of hides, \$1,
255,000, a total of \$20,355,000.

The Chief of Police of New Orleans has
an anonymous letter from some cheerful
scoundrel informing him that the Interna-
tional Society, of which he is a member, has
determined to give the cities of New Or-
leans, New York and Cincinnati to the
torch. Let the gentle reader look to his in-
surance.

Prayer Meeting and Sabbath School
Teacher's Meeting on Friday evening at
Presbyterian Church.

A society for the suppression of slang has
been formed among the pupils of girl's high
school of San Francisco. Said a reporter to
one of its members: "Your object is a
praise-worthy one. Do you think you will
succeed in eradicating conversational slang?"
Said she: "You bet!"

The Omaha Republican records the fact
that only fourteen steamers on the Missouri
river touched at that place during the sea-
son of 1872, against fifty-seven in 1870,
and fifty-nine in 1871. This shows a fearful
falling off in river transportation.

A small boy skating beside the railroad
track between Sharon and Lawrence, Wis.,
recently discovered a broken rail, and at the
same time discovered Conductor Lindsey's
freight train coming down the heavy grade
toward the break in the track. He com-
prehended the situation at once and started
toward the approaching train swinging his
scarf wildly in the air. The engine was re-
versed and the train stopped in safety.—
The boy waited only long enough to be
supplied with a red flag, when he went up
the track at a lively pace to stop the extra
which was following Lindsey's train. Ac-
complishing his second undertaking the boy
disappeared without leaving his name or
any clue of his whereabouts.

A Hundred Years to Come.

No man ever appears to think how soon
he must sink into oblivion—that we are one
generation of millions. Yet such is the
fact. Time and progress have, through
countless ages, come marching hand in
hand—the one destroying, the other building
up. They seem to create little or no com-
motion, and the work of destruction is
easily accomplished as a child will pull to
pieces a rose. Yet such is the fact. A
hundred years hence, and much that we
now see around us will have passed away.
It is but a repetition of life's story; we are
born, we die; and, hence, who will grieve
over these venerable piles, finding the com-
mon level of their prototypes in Nature,
intimate:

We all within our grave shall sleep,
A hundred years to come;
No living soul for us shall weep,
A hundred years to come;
But other men our land will till,
And other men our streets will fill,
And other birds shall sing as gay,
As bright the sunshine as to-day,
A hundred years to come.

Business in St. Louis is beginning to re-
vive. Orders from the South are received
in increasing numbers, and if the Mississippi
continues open, as if probable, an active
trade is expected to see it within a week or
two.

Among those who propose leaving Ger-
many this year for the United States are
10,000 tobacco growers and 12,000 wine
growers. It is scarcely needful to repeat that
both classes, but especially the latter, would
be warmly welcomed in California.

The discovery has recently been made
that gun cotton will explode as steadily
when damp, or even saturated with water
as when dry, the only condition necessary
to its explosion being its connection with a
portion of the dry substance.

Massachusetts reports two new monstrosi-
ties—a baby eighteen months old who re-
cites the Greek alphabet and a ghost which
shovels snow off the sidewalks.

The Massachusetts Legislature has ap-
pointed a committee to consider the sub-
ject of female suffrage, a subject that is like-
ly to receive a great deal of attention dur-
ing the next four years. Men who aspire
to the Presidency should give it a special
thought, for it will enter largely into the
next national election.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT.

1
It was not a word!
It was only a look!
From your eyes, true and clear
As the wild mountain brook!
A look of such love,
Of such ownership, too!
I forgot there was any one living but you!

11
None saw it but me!
But it beamed from your eyes,
Swift, sweet, into mine,
Like an Alpine surprise;
With strange, trembling joy,
Was my heart thrilled all through.
As it struggled in vain 'gainst the rapture
so new!

111
It was not a word!
It was only a look!
But easy to read
As a printed book!
So tender, so mastering
In each tone,
It caught me, it held me,
And made me your own!
—From "Old and New"

"Famine," or relapsing fever has again
appeared in London. It is probably a con-
tinuation of the outbreak in 1868, when,
having disappeared from the kingdom for
thirteen years, it suddenly revived and last
ed through the two following years, dying
out in 1871.

Better to weave in the web of life
A bright and golden filling,
And to do God's will with a ready heart,
And hands that are swift and willing,
Than to snap the delicate gossamer threads
Of our curious lines and under;
And then Heaven blame for the tangled
ends
And sit to grieve and wonder.

It will perhaps surprise those who have
been educated into the belief that the course
of the star of empire is unalterably and
continuously westward, to learn that the
Atlantic States, and especially Virginia,
have lately drawn large numbers of perma-
nent settlers from the Northwest.

A New Jersey jewelry manufacturing firm
recently put down new flooring in their
workshops, and the gold they obtained in
burning the old flooring not only paid for
the new one, but for putting two coats of
paint on the entire factory.

Magazines.
All the magazines for September, now
ready.

- Harper,
- Galaxy,
- Atlantic,
- Lippincott's,
- Eclectic,
- Transatlantic,
- Oliver Optic,
- Young Folks,
- Frank Leslie,
- Children's Flower,
- Old and New,
- Godey's Ladies' Book,
- Lodeyn Society,
- Peterson's
- Ladies' Friend,
- Arthur's Home,
- Science Monthly,
- Ballou's,
- Good Words,
- Nursery,
- Chatterbox,
- Metropolitan,
- Herald of Health,

At the POST OFFICE NEWSROOM.

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.

Fine SINGLE HARNESS from \$25
to \$100 at Marshall & Richards, opposite
the Record office.

New Goods. Removed! SAVE YOUR MONEY!

And buy your Boots and Shoes at
Mrs. M. Magrane's
ONE PRICE
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I keep a very large stock of all kinds on hand,
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REGION. Connected with my Store is a

Custom Department!

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Jewelry Store.

Petroleum Centre, Pa.

Local Notices.

For Sale.

My stock and fixtures are now for sale,
and my building for sale or rent.
J. W. BEATTY,
Petroleum Centre, Dec. 28, 1872.

For Sale.

800 BARREL TANK at
Petroleum Centre, Iron sides,
wooden top and Bottom, price
\$400. Apply to Central Petro-
leum Co.

Fine SINGLE HARNESS from \$25
to \$100 at Marshall & Richards, opposite
the Record office.
Whips, at Marshall & Richards op-
posite Record Office, Main Street, Petro-
leum Centre, Pa.

Oil Wells For Sale.

Three producing wells on the
Central Petroleum Farm, Pet-
roleum Centre, Pa., doing from
200 to 250 barrels per month.
Run with a large Woodbury &
Booth Boiler, good as new.
Engine nearly new. Gas, water
and oil connections all in com-
plete working order with all
necessary tools to work said
wells. Price \$4,500. Five
hundred down. Balance in
three, six, nine and twelve
months with interest and se-
cured. Enquire of EMMET
FERRIS, agent, on the prem-
ises.

Jan 27-31.

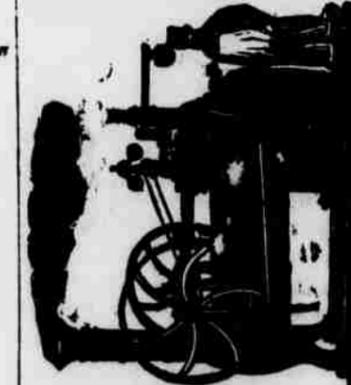
SEE HERE.

H. H. WARNER, has just received from
home twenty casks more of that cider, that
was never beat for quality. Also, apple
eggs, butter, &c. The best butter ever
brought into this town, which he will sell for
cash, that 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.

Sleigh Bells, Buffalo Robes, Wo-
men's Robes, Lap Robes, &c., at Marshall &
Richards, Main Street.

H. H. Warner



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HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR OLD
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proved PIPE CUTTING MACHINE, I am pre-
pared to cut and fit all sizes of Pipe and Casing from
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ester House, Pet. Centre, Pa.
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CLOTHING STORE

to

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