

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Pa., Saturday March 29

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M.



Petroleum Centre Lodge, No. 715, I. O. of O. F.
Regular meeting nights Friday, at 7 o'clock.

A. O. of U. W.
Liberty Lodge No. 7, A. O. of U. W., meets every Monday evening at 7 1/2 o'clock.

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

Gold at 1 p. m. 116 1/2
Stay Where You Are.
To all those who are not committed freely to the coming exodus...

Comparisons are invidious. We do not wish to disparage the new possessions of the oil speculator.

The fact that a well costs three times as much there as here; that it lasts not half so long; that the depth is increasing and the thickness of sand decreasing...

Reaction, for obvious reasons, will set in for miles around Franklin, Penn. Oil City is a Sands, along the creek, also Pierce farm at Titusville on the flats...

Local option has been declared constitutional by a majority of the judges of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

The German Emperor encourages the officers to his army to fight duels rather than take any "loss" from each other.

A young man in St. Louis leaned over a bar to listen to an explanation of a beautiful new derrick. He is very certain now that the gruel at the hospital is thin.

Pete Couver, of the Forest Press, is no respecter of persons, as witness the following notice of preaching in the last Press:

The demand of oysters is immense in this Lenten season. It is a fast time, and people will, of course, shell out while it lasts.

Measles land slides and hard times generally trouble Oregon.
An old conductor says he is no judge of female beauty, but he can always tell when the ladies are "passing fare."

ABSTINENCE.

Temperance is not abstinence, although a great many excellent people think so. Temperance is the moderate use of all things, our faculties of mind, our appetites and passions—all God-given.

Food, luscious and savory, is the helpmeet of health, but inordinate quantities eaten is an injury. Gluttony is a vice. So of drinks. Whether vinous, or malt the moderate use enriches the blood, sustains the nervous system and promotes health, but the inordinate use is hurtful.

The Greeks and Romans were temperate as peoples, and from the Christian era down it has been true in the main the world over that temperance prevails. It is only now, and here, that we find drunkenness has assumed such proportions that every citizen must be denied access to any beverage stronger than coffee.

St. Paul, addressing the primitive Christian Church said—"Be temperate in all things." This gives the use but not the abuse of all things, and is in itself conclusive.

The San Francisco Morning Bulletin, in an article on "Rebellion in the Kitchen," says that Bridget's substitute, John, "is every day getting more whimsical and capricious. For one good Chinese servant there are two bad ones."

There are but three ways of living, as some one has said, by working, by begging, or by stealing. Those who do not work, disguise it in whatever pretty language we please, are doing one or the other of the two things.

Two men McFarland and Swango, quarreled about a joke in a Gallatin county, Tennessee, grocery the other day, and McFarland ripped open the stomach of Swango to make the point clear. Swango is dead and McFarland escaped.

Now is the time to purchase a Pocket Dairy cheap. A fine assortment can be found at the Post Office newsroom.

Mrs. Foster, wife of the carbook murderer who was hanged last week, is said to be dying no doubt of a broken heart.

The German Emperor encourages the officers to his army to fight duels rather than take any "loss" from each other.

A well was struck on Saturday last on the Patton farm, half a mile southwest of Fairview, which started up at about 200 barrels. The farm, together with the well is owned by McKinney & Nesbitt.

A well was struck on the Paul Troutman farm, some miles southwest of Fairview, on Saturday of last week, which is represented as one of the largest in the entire district.

A correspondent sends us the following: The Tabor & McFarland well still yields 300 barrels daily. It has changed owners twice a week.

The Clemenger well, just above the old one, continues to yield 200 barrels. It is supposed to have tapped the old well, as it decreased immediately. The other wells in the vicinity have dropped off considerably, but are still paying wells.

Business is very quiet on account of the bad roads, which are almost impassable. Lumber is selling readily for \$35 per thousand, and scarce at that.

Official Vote for and Against License in Venango County, 1873.

Table with columns: DISTRICTS, FOR, AGAINST. Lists districts like Allegheny, Canal, Cherrytree, Clinton, Cooperstown, Cranberry, Eminton, Frenchcreek, Irwin, Jackson, Mineral, Oakland, Oil Creek, Jerusalem, S. H, do Shamburg, Plum, Plumer, Pitbole, President, Pinegrove, Pleasantville, Petroleum Centre, Rockland, Richland, Rynd, Rouseville, Sandycreek, Sugarcreek, Scrubgrass, Utica, and Totals.

Majority against, 617. If Franklin and Oil City had voted with the County, the majority would be reduced to 356.

March is a fearful month for colds and how to cure them is an important matter. A remedy for a "stopped up nose" is given in the following dialogue: Mr. Smith—"Jodea."

Exit Jones and Smith using their handkerchiefs.—[Commercial.]

PARKER OIL FIELD.

The senior editor who is preambulating through Butler county, sends the following: FIRE AT PETROLIA.

A fire broke out in the millinery store and dwelling house of R. A. Clark, in Petrolia, on Sunday night last, destroying the building and damaging and destroying part of the contents.

An adjoining building owned by Clark, and occupied by another person was also destroyed. Loss is said to be \$3,200. \$1,300 in insurance on property.

The fire originated in Clark's house by a lamp explosion.

FAIRVIEW.

A well was struck on Saturday last on the Patton farm, half a mile southwest of Fairview, which started up at about 200 barrels. The farm, together with the well is owned by McKinney & Nesbitt.

A well was struck on the Paul Troutman farm, some miles southwest of Fairview, on Saturday of last week, which is represented as one of the largest in the entire district.

A correspondent sends us the following: The Tabor & McFarland well still yields 300 barrels daily. It has changed owners twice a week.

The Clemenger well, just above the old one, continues to yield 200 barrels. It is supposed to have tapped the old well, as it decreased immediately.

Business is very quiet on account of the bad roads, which are almost impassable. Lumber is selling readily for \$35 per thousand, and scarce at that.

over the hills to the famous McClelland farm here we found two wells drilling and four at most ready to commence. The only well down on this farm is good for 200 barrels per day.

We continued our journey about three quarters of a mile further, and we came to Foreman & Vandergrift's new strike on the Troutman farm. This well was struck on Saturday last. It is reported as going 500 barrels, but is not over 200, if that.

Mr. Troutman sold this farm to Foreman & Vandergrift, of Oil City, for \$20,000 before this strike. It is considered worth nearly double that now.

WAITING.

Bessie at the garden gate, Pulled the daisy leaves apart: "He comes, comes not, he comes," sings she

"Patience now, my foolish heart; For daisy leaves tell truth, you know; My love and I will find it so.

"Birdie, in the tree above Keep watch and see if he be near: The shadows round me longer blow— 'Tis time my lover should be here, Oh, daisy leaves, tell yet once more That which you told to me before."

Ab! what is it Bessie hears. That her cheeks are dimpling so, Standing at the garden gate; While the shadows longer grow? "Daisy, you the truth did tell: We have found it out so well!"

"LITTLE JO."

Just arrived, Emel Zedwich, alias, "Little Jo" the Champion Boot and Shoe Article of the Oil Region, has just received and opened for inspection and sale, cheap, 12 cases of the finest and latest style of ladies and misses shoes that was ever brought into the Oil Region.

And while you do it we will state that we have the latest fashion out, the "Opera toe" slipper, which are now all the rage in the East, the demand being so great for this new style of goods, that it is only through the friendship of former years, that we obtained the present stock.

After the Opera was over Alter the music was done We gems of the very first water With the ladies go tiddle, tum, tum "

Don't fail to call early. It makes no difference whether you buy or not, we will consider it a pleasure to show you the finest goods and the very best quality in the market, don't delay calling for we sold one hundred dollars worth inside of four hours after we opened the stock; we have marked down the price to suit two dollar oil, come early then for everything is bound to disappear like hot cakes before Cort Dodge's borders,—we are so busy that we won't be able to "stand on our head" or sing to you this trip; but as we rush around and whistle you can sit down upon a piece of wax and see or feel how it sticks if you wish to.

Remember then that all of our new stock of shoes have "steel shanks" and are guaranteed to keep the shoes straight until they are entirely worn out. For gentleman we keep on hand the best French calf skins, from which customers can select their own material. We have in our employ Mr. Lawrence Zedwich, who makes a specialty of fine boots and has no superior in the Oil Region. Repairing neatly done, and prices moderate at Little Joe's, Smith's old stand, Washington Street, Petroleum Centre, Pa.

The local option law must be enforced. From and after this date and up to the day the local option law goes into effect, I will sell all kinds and brands of wines, and liquor at retail at wholesale prices, as my stock must be closed out. Now is the time to purchase a little vial for home use.

A Georgia preacher, in translating the sentence, "The harvest is over, the season is ended, and thy soul is not saved," put it "De corn has been cribbed, dere ain't any more work, and de debil is still fooling wid dis community."

A lot of blackfish were driven by some unseen enemy ashore on the Fernandina beach recently. One fish was 23 feet long and made two barrels of oil. The oil of the captured ones will sell for \$10,000.

"Robinson Crusoe" has been printed in the Sorbian language.

"Wake and Call Me Early Mother Dear."

Calling a boy up in the morning is hardly be classed under the head of "times" especially if the boy is fond of exercise the day before. And it is a little singular that the next hardest thing to getting a boy out of bed is getting him into it.

There is no response, Then "Johnny," Still no response. Then there is a sharp "John," followed a moment later by a prolonged and emphatic "John Henry."

A grunt from the upper regions signals that an impression has been made and the mother is encouraged to add, "You'd better be getting down here to your breakfast, young man, before I come up there and give you something you'll feel." That so starts the young man that he immediately goes to sleep again. And the operation has to be repeated several times.

Nothing about this trouble. He merely opens his mouth as a soda bottle ejects its cork, and the "John Henry" that cleaves the air of that stairway goes into that boy like electricity, and pierces the deepest recesses of his very nature. And he pops out of bed and into his clothes, and down stairs, with a promptness that is commendable. It is rarely a boy allows himself to disregard the paternal summons. About once a year is believed to be as often as is consistent with the rules of health. He saves his father a great many steps by his thoughtfulness.

[Danbury News.]

NOTICE.

We expect all parties indebted to this firm to settle their bills before the 1st of May next and avoid unpleasantness, as we intend to close out and leave this town.

SOBEL & AUERHAIM. Dated, Petroleum Centre, Pa., March 20th

TAKE NOTICE.

I propose to sell my stock of Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, fancy articles, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., at cost, as it is my intention to leave town on or about the first day of April. All parties knowing themselves indebted to me are requested to call and settle at once and save costs.

J. WOLF. Petroleum Centre, March 24, 1873.

NOTICE!

Go to W. A. LOZIER, 4th Street, near R. R. track, for your BENZINE, delivered at the wells for \$2.25 per Barrel.

Petroleum Centre, Feb. 6th-11.

VERANDAH



SALOON AND RESTAURANT. Reopened.

Capt. W. L. SMITH, Prop'r WASHINGTON ST., PET. CENTRE. Particular attention paid to the wants of my customers, and will keep the finest stock of FRESH LAGER AND ALE, CHOICE CIGARS, &c. OYSTERS in Every Style. Drop in and see me in my new stand.