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Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M. cat. free. A cordial invitation extended to all.

Rev. G. Moore, Pastor.

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

B. ALLEN, N. G.

A. 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, Penn'a.

A. GLENN, M. W.

M. T. CONNOR, R.

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. Council fires lighted at 7 o'clock.

H. HOWE, Sachem.

C. L. JUKES, Chief of Records.

Gold at 1 p. m. 117 1/2.

INCREASE.—We are pleased to learn that the business of our friend Leggett, manufacturer of Leggett's celebrated Valve Cups for Oil Wells, has increased to such an extent that he has been forced to employ several workmen to aid him in manufacturing them. They are undoubtedly the best manufactured and have attained a wide spread celebrity throughout the entire oil region for their excellence of make, the length of time they wear, and the excellent material they are made of. Oil men in want of Valve Cups will do well to call on Mr. Leggett, at Marshall & Richard's Hardware shop, opposite the Record office. They will find his Valve Cups the best made and sold the cheapest.

A new well located on the John A. Stewart farm, upper Bennehoff Run, struck the sand at an early hour this morning. When ten feet in the sand the hole filled up to the depth of 300 feet with oil. It will prove a good well, as the sand is of a pure white pebbly character. This well is owned by Messrs J. W. Irwin and Dr. Egbert of this place, Lew Bennehoff and W. A. Stewart of Bennehoff Run. It opens out a lot of new country.

New York papers are calling loudly for passage of the Assembly bill for the punishment of murderers who plead insanity, with fourteen years imprisonment in a lunatic asylum.

There are some indications that the trade organizations of New York will abandon their proposed strike, on account of the insuspicious nature of the season.

The Michigan Spiritualists will celebrate the twenty-fourth anniversary of "Modern Spiritualism" at Battle Creek on the 31st inst.

Local option went into effect this morning, and many ludicrous incidents were witnessed among the toppers in search for a smile.

Lou. Voucher purchased several trunks and dry goods boxes wherein to deposit his wealth preparatory to removing to Gregg's Switch.

A vendra agua, a diez centabas a cada vara.

Cort Dodge has a good lease on the Gal-loway Farm near Franklin. He don't care a continental cuss.

George Arnold proposes to take his family west. To the west, to the west, to the land of the free, where local option is unknown.

Clint. Robson is in Cincinnati out of danger.

A. S. Smith returns to his childhood's home, where he has whiled many happy hours away drinking "zwei lager."

Capt. Smith's recent failure having passed away and local option gone into effect, proposes to retire to the rural shades of Sugar Creek, there to immerse himself in felicitous anticipations of a repeal, &c., &c., you know.

The Coquette well, true to its name, has ceased pumping petroleum and is flowing Downer's Bitters and Mother Winslow's Soothing Syrup. The boys are all invited. Our friend, Morris Herron, received a keg of lager this forenoon. Thanks for an invitation to the wedding.

The Oil Creek Road, we understand, propose to issue local option tickets, good for one drink, between Titusville and Oil City. A wrecking car accompanies each train. A missionary, well known here, who worked hard for local option, will be on board supplied with copies of the Oil City Bishop, Titusville Sunday Reform, and Titusville Daily Moral Herald. His efforts will be mainly directed towards the Titusville and Oil City tanners who may be on the train. The efforts of the missionary are supposed to prove futile.

A club house is to be started. Chris. Heibert will be the valet de ceremony. Admissions 50 cents, five cents of which goes to Chris for services rendered.

Gaffery will go into the glass ware and petroleum trade. Coal oil fifteen cents a pint. Billy Pugh will act as the Child of the Regiment.

Sweeney & Collins are about to organize an expedition to explore Forest county.

By a notice handed us by Mr. James Adams, of this place, we learn of the death of Mr. Edwin C. Richards, which occurred at Champaign, Illinois, March 19th, 1873. Mr. Richards will be remembered by many of our citizens, he having been engaged as express messenger for the American Express Company in Petroleum Centre for several years in the capacity of express agent, which he always filled to the satisfaction of the patrons of that company. His many friends will be sorry to learn of his death.

The Baltimore American complains that the trade of that city is going to Philadelphia.

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 wine, and liquor at retail at wholesale prices, as my stock must be closed out. Now is the time to purchase a little vital for home use.

OWEN GAFFNEY

Clearfield county celebrates her adoption of the "local option" law by completing a new jail at a cost of \$93,975.

Sharon has a new soap factory, that is to turn out twelve tons of soap a week. Stewart, Taylor & Co., are the proprietors.

A Clearfield county mother learned of her daughter's contemplated elopement, and on the night appointed for the flight she put some laudanum in the girl's tea. The latter fell asleep and did not wake up until next morning, and in the mean time Romeo got tired waiting and went home disgusted. He goes with another girl now.

A bill authorizing the citizens of Corry to vote whether they shall appropriate \$125,000 for manufacturers has past both houses of the Legislature.

An Ohio editor was rendered insane while going home one night by hearing the following words come from a dark porch on a shady street: "Oh, John! I wonder is that moustache feebles as good on your lips as it did on mine?"

Hail beautiful season! hail return of the green leaves! hail violets, daisies and buttercups, hail blue sky, and ye white little silver clouds, "gay creatures of the elements," the posterity of your turbid sires of winter time.

A Philadelphia prophet predicts a period pestilence. Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and all approaching the earth. In their train come plague, famine, intensely hot and bitterly cold weather.

About five miles from the New Orleans Custom House is the great cemetery containing the graves of 12,275 Union soldiers, killed in battle on the Mississippi river, or who died in the New Orleans hospitals. Here, in long and solemn rows, regiments of the dead repose side by side, while just below the lower fence of the cemetery are the identical breastworks thrown up by the Americans in 1815, and behind which the Battle of New Orleans was fought by the heroes under Jackson, and in front of which Gen. Packenham and the British army were defeated and driven back. About an eighth of a mile above the works, where headquarters of General Jackson were located, a monument has been commenced, with about 80 feet of it completed.

A Remarkable Career.

A correspondent at Beyrout writes to the German Gazette, of Vienna: "I met today an old acquaintance, the camel driver, Sheikh Abdul, and he told me that his wife was dead. Abdul's wife was no common woman. Her name was once well known all through Europe. Sheikh Abdul is the ninth husband of Lady Ellenborough, whom I met for the first time about thirty years ago at Munich, just after she had eloped with Prince Schwarzenberg from the residence of her husband. She then went to Italy, where, as she told me herself she got married six times in succession. All these unions were dissolved after a short duration. In 1848 I met her at Athens, where she concluded an eight marriage with the Greek Colonel, Count Theodokli—however, also only for a short time. Her afflictions were now bestowed on an old Patica countess, for whom she built a beautiful house at Athens. When her latest marriage was again dissolved, she went to the Levant. During a journey from Beyrout to Damascus she got pleased with the camel driver Sheikh Abdul, and selected him for her ninth husband. She was married to him after the Arab fashion, and accompanied him for a whole year on his journeys between Beyrout and Babylon, faithfully fulfilling her duties. She even milked the camels. When she had grown tired of the nomad life, she built for herself a charming place at Damascus, where her latest husband, when ever he came to Damascus, found hospitality for some days. I had heard nothing of her since 1855, when I met her as an Arab woman, and notwithstanding the wrinkles in her face, still beautiful. Soon after she won the lawsuit against her husband, and with it a colossal fortune, which will probably go to her relatives in England; for she had no children, so far as I know."

NOTICE.

Having purchased the interest of Mr. J. Burton, in the coal business, I will continue the same at the old stand, where I will be pleased to see the patrons of the old firm and sell them coal, and at the same time receive the "receipt" for bills now due.

Iw. S. H. KOOKER.

The Painesville Advertiser say that a few days since the old Mormon temple in Kirkland, near Painesville, was sold to Joe Smith, the leader of the anti-polygamy Mormons. The sale of the old building has made considerable excitement in Kirkland, as it is generally supposed that the branch of the Mormon people who are now settled in Illinois mean to return to their early settlement. There has been much of late to assure one in this expectation, and we think we may safely predict that the walls of the curious old temple will soon echo the words of the mormon priests, and the quiet people of Kirkland will again have the topic of universal interest not only to themselves, but the "world at large." Joe Smith who purchased the temple, is the son of one of the leading Mormons, Joe Smith, the Prophet, or the author of the pretended revelation.

A Boy's Opinion of Courting.

There was to be an important trial in the Greenfield, (Mass.) court, and a gentleman connected with one of the local papers wished to attend to report the case. The trial was likely to last through the afternoon, and the gentleman told his little boy, four or five years old to go home and tell his mother that pa would not be home to dinner, as he was going to court. Now, there was a young lady in his family, who regularly received Sunday evening visits. This was the only style of "court" that the little boy knew anything about. He went home and, as soon as he saw his mother, commenced crying. She asked him what was the matter. The little fellow, through his tears said his father had gone a-courting. And when asked where, said he did not know, but he did not think his pa ought to have a girl anywhere.

Tidbute is to have a suspension bridge across the Allegheny river, with iron towers, the contract for building such a bridge having been let to the Elmira Bridge Company. The bridge is to be completed as early as November next, at a cost of \$17,500.

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

"LITTLE JO."

Just arrived, Emel Zedwich, alias, "Little Jo" the champion Boot and Shoe Artist 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 Regions, consisting of children's French Kid buttoned and laced shoes,—fine black cloth buttoned shoes both for ladies and misses,—a French Kid, Fox shoe, laced, for ladies, a Prunella shoe, with tassels—All tassels

With tassels on her boots
A style I am sure that suits
Those Yankee girls, with hair that curls,
And tassels on her boots"

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 was only through the friendship of former years, that we obtained the present stock. Just think of it ladies, the very latest going, "Opera toe" shoes and slippers—Oh! my

After the Opera was over
After 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 boards,—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 gentlemen we keep on hand the best French calf skins, from which customers can select their own material.

HANNAH.

An inconstant preacher thus describes the rough trip he had in preaching to the boys:

I talked of sin, and they listened in awe
As I told of its cause and governing law
In most effective manner;
And one from out the gathered throng
Cried out in pithos deep and strong:
"That's what's the matter with Hannah!"

I looked around for the troubled dame,
And called her out by her given name,
(For I didn't know her other);
And said with a sigh that the crowd could hear,
"Woman, called Hannah, if thou art near,
Approach thy Christian Brother."

My heart's laughed at my earnest cry;
And "Put ashasty over his eye!"
Cried some in mocking fashion;
But I paid no heed to the seeming few—
"Hannah, my wister I call for you,
In love—not wrath or passion."

"Come then to the altar, oh child of woe!"
Then spoke another, "Not any for Joe;"
I wonder at him slightly,
And said, "Oh, Joseph, the flesh is weak;
It makes me tremble to hear you speak
Of holy things so slightly."

Then up from a heathen came a cry
Or "Butly, old Schneider; How's that for high!"
It fairly made me shiver;
And I trembled in heart, as well as in limb,
As they headlessly screamed, "Put a lead on him,
And pitch him into the river."

But I stood my ground, and began to tell
Of terrible fires in a terrible hell,
That would burn him up forever.
If they lived for the world; said a man of pelf,
"Oh, golly, you know how it is yourself!"
To this I answered, "Never!"

And started home, as they would not yield,
And I had neither sword nor shield
That I might defend my banner;
And to-day I sigh for the slough of sin
Which one poor woman is working in,
Whose given name is Hannah.

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Louis J. Voucher, Prop'r.

Lunch at all hours. Lemo-nades and pop. Connected with this house is a first class water well; Call and see me.

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 & AUERHAIN

Dated, Petroleum Centre, Pa., March 24, 1873.

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!

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