

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pub. Centre, Pa., Friday, May 23

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/2 P. M.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Froesching at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M. by the Pastor, W. C. BRONKHORST.



Petroleum Centre Lodge, No. 715, I. O. of O. F.
Regular meeting nights Friday, at 7 o'clock. Signed, W. B. MONTGOMERY, N. G.

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.

I. O. of E. M.
Miners' Union No. 185, I. O. of E. M. of Petroleum Centre, meets every Thursday evening in Good Templar's Hall.

Gold at 1 p. m. 117 3/4

The Polaris Mystery Again.

At last the mystery surrounding the death of Captain Hall and the breaking up of the "Polaris" expedition is in progress of elucidation.

It will be remembered that the steward of the "Polaris" stated that when Captain Hall returned from his sledge expedition he went into the cabin and drank part of a cup of coffee; that he was immediately taken sick and died two or three days after.

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New Well.—We have heretofore made mention of the fact that the new well on the Pierce farm, upper Beanehoff Run, owned by S. A. Woods, J. W. Irwin and Dr. Egbert, was down and about ready to test. Tubing was hoisted and testing commenced on Tuesday. Like all producing wells in that neighborhood this one started up pumping a large quantity of salt water.

We are in receipt of a letter, today, from Prof. T. B. Alcorn, late Principal of the Petroleum Centre high school. The Prof. desires us to announce that he will open a Select School in Room No. 4, public school building, on Monday, June 2d, 1873.

Elsewhere we give place to a communication from Kane City relative to the late church difficulty in that place. The writer gives a correct statement of the affair. In some respects we were in error in our article, but right as to the statement that the church was the property of the public, and as such the public had a right to use it for any of the purposes named in the communication.

A week from today is Decoration Day. The Titusville Courier gives an item to the effect that Corry is to have a Women's Secret Club. We hear it rumored that a branch is soon to be established in this place.

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Letters from the People.

NOTE.—The manager of this journal, with out 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.

Letter From Kane City.

Mr. Editor:—In your Tuesday's issue is a statement concerning a difficulty about a meeting house in Kane City. Your informant did not convey to you a correct impression regarding the same. Since the matter has got into the papers it is well that it should be presented in its true light.

When the house was purchased a meeting of the residents of the place was convened and it was resolved to go on and make some necessary repairs to the building. A considerable amount of money was subscribed for that purpose.

Fortune telling is a crime in Prussia. Boston hesitates to widen her streets.

By the new militia law of the State the Twentieth Military Division, composed of the counties of Crawford, Erie, Venango and Warren, it will be soon, isolated twelve companies.

London has a new monthly called "Long Ago." Journalism is making rapid progress in Japan.

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Six hundred Christians in Japan are still treated as criminals. The Atlantic steamship was eleven times longer than it was wide.

A new stone depot, costing \$20,000 has just been finished at Victoria, Kansas. Five SINGLE HARNESS from \$25 to \$100 at Marshall & Richards, opposite the Record office.

IN ALL this there was no passion displayed, no high words used, on either side. Everything was done as coolly, to all outward appearance, as though it were but a mere, ordinary business transaction.

These explanations are made, Mr. Editor, in order that the imputation may no longer be cast upon the spiritualists that being refused a house in which to meet, they effected a lawless and forcible entrance thereto.

In the first place they did not intend to obtain admission in that manner, and, in the second place, if they had, Mr. Osborne is about the last instrument for that purpose they could have secured in that locality.

Will the Derrick please notice the true version of the matter? JUSTICE.

Oil News.—Mr. J. P. Irwin, of Millerstown has received some valuable territory in that vicinity.

The Troutman well is still flowing through two pipes. Its production is not less than four hundred barrels a day. Mrs. Bonds put down a well within fifty feet of the Green well, near Oil City, and was awarded with a five barrel well.

Lambing Brothers and Campbell will soon commence two new wells between their well and Raiston's Mill and the Troutman farm. Andrew Shiesmantel and others are putting down a well one mile and a half south of west of Greece City.

Lambing Brothers & Campbell have leased, ground on their property at Millerstown to the Fairview Pipe Line Company for the erection of a pump station. While in Buena Vista one day last week we learned that the McFarland and Millinger well near that place, was averaging almost a hundred barrels a day.

The Reed well on the Dougherty farm, formerly owned by Luppber & Ciemlager is producing one hundred and seventy barrels a day. This is by a actual measurement. Well No. 2 on the Toronto tract was torpedoed last week increasing the production from ten barrels to fifty-four.

Last week the Amy well on the Wilson farm took a spurt so to speak, and flowed at the rate of two hundred and fifty barrels a day, and settled down again to her daily average one hundred barrels.

We learn from the Butler Eagle that parties have leased land from Mrs. Judge McCandless, near Rieber's still house, on Sulphur Run, and will put down an oil well upon it soon. This land lies in close proximity to the borough of Butler.

Lambing has lost forty in the Bonnie Brooks well. It is now down about 1600 feet—a long hole with as much oil at one end as the other. James M. Lambing, Jas A. Lambing, B. B. Campbell and M. Berg are the owners of this well.—Petroleum Reporter.

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Announcements.

COUNTY TREASURER. Editor Daily Record:—FID BISHOP will be a Candidate for the office of COUNTY TREASURER, subject to the Republican Primary Election May 31st, 1873.

Editor Daily Record:—Please announce the name of MAJOR J. F. MACKAY, of Franklin, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the election of the Republican party.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER. Ed. Record:—Please announce the name of G. W. PORTER, of Raymont, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the Republican usage, at the Primary Election, to be held Saturday, May 31st, 1873.

Local Notices.

FOR SALE. A desirable residence on the Egbert farm. Good water handy. Every modern convenience. Will be sold cheap. Enquire of OWEN GAFNEY, Petroleum Centre, May 7, 1873.

FOR SALE CHEAP. Three wells all cased for sale cheap.—Two engines, two boilers, tubing, machinery and all appliances. Apply at HOWE & COOK'S, Petroleum Centre, Pa. m-3w.

DISSOLUTION. The copartnership heretofore existing between Schermerhorn & Ten Eyck is dissolved by mutual consent. S. F. SCHERMERHORN. J. A. TEN EYCK.

FOR SALE. One 16-horse Tift boiler in complete order, one 8-horse Wood & Mann engine and boiler in complete order, 275 feet 3 inch tubing, extra heavy, 500 feet large sucker rods, 1 Snows Pump. J. A. TEN EYCK.

BENZINE. Just received a fresh supply of Benzine, the best ever brought to town, at J. A. TEN EYCK'S, Petroleum Centre, May, 15, 1873.

F. P. Koester,

Successor to Messrs & Armstrong. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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Flour, Feed, Hay & Grain OF ALL KINDS.

PRICE LIST. XXX WHITE WHT FLOUR, per bbl, \$10.00. CORN & OATS CHOP, per bush, 1.60. WHEAT BRAN, " " 1.50. CORN MEAL, " " 1.00. OIL MEAL, " " 1.00. SALT, per bbl, 3.50. OAT MEAL, per lb, 60. POTATOES, per bush, 1.50. STRAW, " " 1.25. OATS, per bush, 50. CORN, " " 75.

These are Cash prices. I invite a share of public patronage, feeling confident I can give satisfaction in price and quality of goods. F. P. KOESTER, Petroleum Centre, Pa May 22 1873—4

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