Pet. Centre, Pa., Friday, Sept. 14-

Divine Service.

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Petroleum Centre Lodge, No. 715, I. O. of O. F.

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Liberty Lodge No. 7, A. O. of U. W., meets every Monday evening at 7½ o'clock, In Odd Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre,

JAMES WILSON, M. W. JAMES S. WHITE, R.

Minnekaudee Tribe No. 183, L. O. R. M
of Petroleum Centre, meets every Thursday
evening in Good Templar's Hail.
Touncil fires lighted at 7 o'clock.
H. HOWE, Sachem.
C. L. JUKES, Chief of Records.

Gold at 1 p. m. 1111/2

We received this afternoon a gift in the Shape of a boquet of freshly-out flowers To our eye there is nothing more beautiful than the bright look of the summer flowers. It brings to remembrance days long gone, when we traversed the woods and gathered treasures of the same, with scarcely a thought of the future, but only the present seemed unclouded and free from trouble and care. But bright dreams of childhood fade ed as quick almost as these flowers will fade; yet in memory we can recall those happy days; and yet

"Flowers look upward in every place In this beautiful world of ours,

And dear as the smile on an old friend's

Is the smile of the bright, bright flowers." May the life of the fair donor be as bright and free from care as are the beautiful flowers that now adorn our table.

THE END OF SUMMER. - The perceptible difference in the length of the days, and various other indications; more or less palpable, of the henceforth swiftly waning year. remind us that the summer has had its day; that the beach, the mountain and the lake is being descried; that the ledger must take the place of picnics and hotel bills; that the primer, the grammar, arithmetic, Latin and French must take the place of strawberry festivals, bops, verandah flirtar tions and much sighing and laughing. Our streets are again gay with the bright school children; the modistes will trot out their fall season novelties; ice-creams will be discarded for more sultable refreshments; the mezyiwaltz will have its night and day again; rouge and—we won't say whatwill dethrone the healthy bloom of summer; headaches, heated, tormented brows, sunks en cheeks and anxious eyes will be restored to their position in society at large, and doctors will again be in their glory.

Quartermaster Alf. Myers, of St. Peters, burgh, is in town today. Looking well but much on his stomach, that said organ re- well is being drilled on new territory, and reports bard times in that neck of woods. pelled the load. As he leaned against the if a "strike" is got, there will open up still Seventy-five cent oil sticks pretty close in feace vomiting, a little dog happened to further the oil territory of West Virginia. the crops of the operators.

To/morrow afternoon there is to be a grand horse race on the Daizell Flats, Petroleum Centre, for \$25 a side, between the Black Colt, of Tidioute, and Bay Frank, of Petroleum Centre. Best three in five; yatler dorg. Get out. quarter mile heats. A lively race is anticipated and lots of sport.

before last. It being the first wedding sol- Bros. emuized by the Justice, as a matter of course be felt a little difficient about galuting the blushing bride, but finally mustered up courage sufficient to do his duty. The affair passed off to the satisfaction of all.

This even ing, Lyman C. Howe, a well known Trance Speaker, tectures at Kane City, on Spiritualism.

Ashur Ware, died in Potrland, Maine, and the Portland Eastern Argus in 1817 .

The cholera is on the increase to Russia; venue, I say and G rmany.

xhausted the Bean farm began to loom up. It lies about two miles southwest of Please autville, and the territory once produced considerable oil. It, too, had its numerous business houses. There was a machine stop, a number of groceries, drug store, boot and shoe store, hardware establishment, diligred saloon, etc. Mr. John Ty. rell, the old pioneer of this section still lives 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 12/2, directly
after forenoon service.
Prayer Meeting and Sabbath School
Teacher's Meeting Tuesday evenings of
each welk. well known to all who have operated in that Gelding, the Canfield mare winning every deserted village, although we have group! horses were matched. But all we heard ed it here with places which were cotemporageous with it. These Germans have earne ed their homes by earnest toil, and seem to be contented and happy. There are in this vicinity many hundred acres of undeveloped land, which will nut of course be tested as long as oil stands at the present y-a-w! Y--a-w. low figure. There is a fine district school here. The driving park is in this neighbor. bood. There are several small wells pumplog here yet. A great many people have gone from here to other portions of the oil region-especialty to Butter, and many of the buildings have been taken down and moved sway to other scenes.-Titusville

> The Erie Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Caurch, has been in session the past week at Brookvitle, Jefferson county. The tollowing is a list of appointments for the ensuing year in the Franklin District:

J Leslie, Presiding Elder. Franklin-O L Mead. Reno-R S Borland. Oil City-J G Townsend. South Oil City-R M Bear. Shaw Farm and Prumer-L F Merrett. Rouseville-P P Pinny.

Petroleum Centre-T Graham. Fegundas and Hickory-J L Mechila. Fairview.-W Hollister.

Greece City-B F Delo. Petrolis-To be supplied by G J Squier. Parker's-R N Stubbs. Brady's Bend-S Winger.

Emienton-G Moore. Rockland-J M Kernick. St Petersburgh-J F Stocker. President-D C Plannett.

Tionesta-J Lusher. The following are the appointments in the Jamestown District for this section:

Warren -- A J Merchant. Youngsville and Irvinston-S J Hill. Gartand-S Foldler.

Corry-W H Mossman. Spartansburg-Thomas Burrows. Centerville-J W Wilson.

Titusville -A N Craft. Pleasantville-A J Lindsey.

Enterprise and Shamburg-M V Stone. Tidloute-Frank Brown.

It has been decided to bring Irving, the sel's coused murderer of Nathan, from San Francisco to see what he knows of the

An urchin of seven years went into Wyman's barber shop a few days ago and asked him to cut his bair as smooth as a billiard. ball. He was neked if his mother had one dered it cut that way! "No, replied he; "but school commenced last week, and we have got a school mistress that pulls hair," His hair was cut in the latest style, and the little fellow went on his was rejolding.

The imperial Kellnery, at Siverlyville is now turning out 1000 barrels delly of refin. ed oit.

Ou! So Stex!-A young man from Plum. er ate an eyster siew last night, and got so named the well the "Log Cabin." This stop by him, whereby he indulged in this solllequy: "Weil, now, here's a conundrum. I know where I are the baked brans, I remember where I ate that lobater, I recalled where I got that apple-jack, but I'm banged if I can recall where I ate that little

PARKER CETY, Sept. 11.

Another well was struck to-day on the John Fagley and Jane Croy, formerly of James Sutton farm, near the Boyer well, this place, were united in the holy bonds of and south of the Starr larm, in the Modoc matrimony at Turkey Ran City, by Squire district. It commenced to flow in targe Patterson, also fermerly of this place, and quantities, but the amount of production is a duly elected Justice of the Peace, night not yet estimated. It belongs to Phillips

> MILLERSTOWN, Sept. 11. Number 2 well on the John Hemphill William Scott, at Siverlyville, last week, form, near the town, struck the oil sand at still continue. The victim is quite low five o'clock this evening, and commenced and his recovery from his terrible wounds I flowing at the rate of two numbered barrels daubtfut. per day. Yesterday this well was thought to be a dry note. It is owned by McKinney Brothers & Garley.

1. O. R. M - The Great Council of the forenoon, but nobody injured, last night, aged minety-three years. He United States Improved Order of Red Men was editor of the Boston Yankee in 1816, is now in session at Washington, Delaware.

> Rullroad stop trains for fear they contain stop the innocent divertisements of the rail! specimens of Yetlow Jack from Parereport, way managers.

town, as to which owned the next and fastest horses. Yest-rday the whole thing was settled, to the entire satisfaction of all concerned, by a half dozen heats on Washington street, between the two representative horses of both stables. Canfield's Sorrel Mare against the opposition stable's Black heat. The excitement was very great at one time amongst the outsiders; but soon subsided when they saw how unequal the speak of the affair thought the black horse would have made a better race, had be been driven by some one, who could have pulled the lines properly over him, with the least show of judgement in managing a trotting horse but as it was the thing went. Yaw

"Picking Caerries down toe Lane," and "Happy Hours," are two new songs by the renowned Millard, both containing all the elements of popularity and both really excellent. They can be had at any music store, for the trifle of 49 cents each, or will be sent free of postage, on receipt of price, by the publishers, Lee & Walker, 922 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

#### Oil Rems.

The production of the Glan'z tract is now averaging about 100 barrels per day, all gravities.

Z. T. Devote has purchased Mr. Wm. Baldwin's interest in an oil well located on the Gale tract.

Messra Crooks & Noyes have despensed their well, and it tooks as if it would be a "epouter." We hope it with

R. Gilchrist struck a new well on the Mount Farm Oil Co. tract. The well is pumping about six barrels of 29 o gravity oil per day.

W. W. Gates and A. Gitchrist have purchased the 1st National lease, on the VO & C Co. tract, and will soon commence drilling a well.

R. Crumley has sub-lensed of E L. Conger an oil lease, and is now putting down a well. The territory is considered good heavy oil territory.

We learn that the Jentine Bros. have a contract to put down another well for Mr. R. Gilearist, on the McGregor tract, Mount farm territory.

The Mount Farm Oil Company's new well is most down, and, we understand with a good prospect for oil.

Since the above was put in type we learn that the well is pumping 5 barrels of 29 ? gravity oil per day.

The "Granny" Oil Company have leased a tract from the VO & C Co., on Elitost's Huo, and will soon commence operations,-The company is composed of G. Williamson, L. Beck, C. Hendersott, J. R. Shafer J. Steen.

Wm. C. Stiles, Jr., bought the New Div minion Oil Co., tract, which was sold on Tuesday last, the price paid being \$3 680 We understand tout he will shortly commence erecting a palatial residence, on what is known as the Coulson farm.

John W. Stephens, the veteran contract tor, has, since October last, . dritted seven wells for Cot. J. T. Vinal, is now engaged in creeding 3 rigs preparatory to drilling the wells, for the same party. The wells are located on the West Va. Oil & Oil Land Co. treet.

Tue "Widow's Sou" Oil Co. are putting down a well on Mitchell's farm, on one o the branches of the Ball Greek. They have

The old Shriver well, belonging to the Mount Farm Co., has been cleaned out and drilled twenty feet deeper, and on Saturday commenced pumping oil at the rate of 50 barrels per day, 29 o gravity. The super, intendent, Mr. Luckenback, intends clean ing out all the wells belonging to that company, hoping by that means to bring the production of the company up to the stand-aid of 2 or 3 years ago. The Shriver well was considered played out, and had been abandoned - Volcano Labricator.

The Grand Jury at its last session made a favorable report of the Poor House and County Jail.

The mystery surrounding the shooting of

By the breaking of an axie four or five freight cars were thrown from the track of the A & G W road, near Utica, on Monday

Three railway accidents in England Tuesday caused the papers to raise a loud

BEAN FARM .- Long before Pithole was Sholl Confield Wins the First Event. The first term of the Ohio Agricultural Of late there has been a great deal of bad and Mechanical College begins next Wedblood and chating going on between the em- needay. . It is thought the institution will pievees of the two rival livery stables in open with netween seventy-five and one hundred students.

A Good IDEA .- The Lake Shore & Michlgan Southern rallway company has adopted a system of local round trip tickets, good for seven days and sold at reduced rates.

The display of stock at the Northern Kan, sas Fair is said to be the finest ever seen in the Missouri vailey.

The Texas editors dissipated yesterday to the extent of a square meal, which they called a banquet, followed by a ball.

Twelve bundred dollars were raised to a few minutes at St. Louis yesterday for the benefit of the yellow fever sufferers at Shreveport.

### Cherrytree High School.

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