

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Pa., Saturday Oct. 11.

Divine Service.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 1/2 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 1/4 P. M. cents free. A cordial invitation extended to all.

REV. T. GRAHAM, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 o'clock P. M., by the Pastor, W. C. BURCHARD. Sabbath School at 12 1/4, 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.

S. H. KOOKER, N. G.

J. C. E. HARTMAN, 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.

JAMES WILSON, M. W.

JAMES S. WHITE, R.

I. O. of E. M.

Minnekaune Tribe No. 183, I. O. E. 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. 108 1/2

EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.—The meeting of the Evangelical Alliance in New York, which is now in session, is the most remarkable religious convention ever held in America, embracing representatives of every christian sect in the world except the Roman Catholic church. Representative men from every state of Europe, and from America, all met under one common bond of brotherhood, for the purpose of effecting a closer alliance of all christian denominations in order that they may proceed in harmony in the great work of the world's redemption.

The New York Tribune says, the learning the piety of the faith, and the loyalty to truth, and the self-denying and self-sacrificing devotion to the church are represented here in a Universal Congress, whose aim is the promotion of the Kingdom of Peace and the Brotherhood of Man. Higher motives or purer purposes could be invoked. For, however men may differ upon the controverted points of Christian doctrine, how ever they may disagree even upon what may be esteemed the un-doubted truths of Christianity, no one will deny that through Christian progress and Christian civilization the whole world has been lifted to purer and better living.

The services are unusually interesting but too lengthy for us to give even a synopsis.

We find the following highly complimentary mention of our former gitted towns women, Mrs. M. Carman and Miss M. H. Henderson, in the Patterson Daily Press, published at Patterson, New Jersey. The concert was given for the benefit of Mr. Thomas Benson, and of the part taken by these ladies that journal says:

"Mrs. M. Carman delighted the audience with an exquisite soprano solo, The Chant of Hope, a cornet obligato being sounded behind the scenes. Her sister, Miss Henderson (a fine alto singer), accompanied her to perfection on the piano. This was really the gem of the evening, and the audience fairly sprang to their feet at the close and insisted upon an encore. Mrs. Carman is a beautiful and graceful lady, and a most charming and accomplished singer. She is a sister of Mrs. Walter Smith, of Hamburg avenue, and is a new comer to our city."

We are glad to learn of the success these ladies are meeting with in the profession they have adopted, and at no distant day we predict they will stand second to none among the list of musicians of Patterson as they did in Petroleum Centre.

The Allegheny Valley Railroad has contracted for twelve new locomotives, which will be placed on the road shortly. The increasing business of the road demands these additional facilities.

A boy fell down a well at Huntington, Pa., last week, a distance of forty feet.—He escaped any serious injury, and when asked how he got off so well, he replied, "I don't know, but I must have slid down the pump."

It is now definitely settled that the telegraph wires in Germany are no longer to be affixed to poles in the open air but are to be underground.

The Petroleum Centre Record says: "For some months past we have not had a theatrical entertainment or public exhibition of any kind in our town, from the fact that the hall agents, both in Titusville and Oil City, persistently report to all advance agents of troupes that there is no use in stopping at the Centre, as the place was played out and abandoned." Any one would judge from the doleful complaints and general dulness of the Record that the Centre is played out. They have only taken the Record's word for it.

The above mean insendo we find in the Oil City Derrick, the big I and little u of the oil region in its own estimation, this morning. All of our readers know the Derrick's statement to be untrue, and that we have never made any complaints of dull times except when local option went into force. That law hurt the place and for a time made things look as if we were lagging behind, but a change came and we think Petroleum Centre a fair average of the oil towns of this region as a business point, in proof of which we are still issuing the Record, and although not quite so metropolitan (?) as that sheet, still manage to publish a "dull" sheet and make a living at it. Our point in the above quoted paragraph was that the agents of the opera houses, both in Oil City and Titusville, for the last year or more have made it a business to warn advance agents of exhibitions not to stop at this place as it was abandoned, hoping by that means to induce our citizens to patronize their towns, or as the beggars have it, "a few pennies if you please, anything will help keep us alive at your expense." Of this fact we have the word of the most reliable advance agents on the road. The Derrick man should remember that it received the nucleus that gave it life in Petroleum Centre, and that it should not upon every occasion try to belittle, slander and throw dirt upon those whom they still seek patronage of on the score of "and lang syne."

A careful reader of that paper would also suppose the astute editors would find plenty to do to correct and cull out its own columns with misstating and garbling the views of its neighbors, and then seeking to make capital by commenting on its own misstatements. Does the Derrick not know that in their Paul Pry hunt after the morals and doings of their neighbors, they are neglecting their own columns to such an extent that the paper is not a desirable one for a father to take into his family. Look over its columns this morning, in fact any day, and you will find such choice expressions for the bedside reading of the elite young ladies of Oil City as—"it beats the devil himself"; "run the entire concern to the devil"; "be damned if he wouldn't"; "raised hell," while one woman is quoted as saying she would spank another of her sex until the "devil's duett" would ring from the place. This is only a few choice expressions any of which can be seen daily in this censor of all other papers in the region. "Oh wad the power," &c.

A number of young ladies of Macon, Ga., have resolved to attend the State Fair clad in homespun.

Duluth comes up smiling and says: "Jay Cooke was only remotely connected with our metropolis."

Among the new residences of Washington D. C., that of Senator Stewart of Nevada is the most conspicuous and costly.

A new version of "When the swallows homeward fly," has been dedicated to an obliging State Constable of Massachusetts.

The Chicago butchers, grocers and market men have formed a protective association against folks who don't pay as they go.

John Harper has a two-year old colt which he is confident will rival the performance of Longfellow.

It is rumored that a movement is on foot to secure the shutting down of wells in the lubricating district until next spring. It is reported that over two-thirds of the producers favor the movement.

Gen. N. P. Banks is spoken of as a candidate for the next Massachusetts Legislature from Waltham.

The Elmira Advertiser of Thursday last says: "The organization known as the Independent Order of Red Men is increasing quite rapidly in this State. Within the last two months five new tribes have been established the last one being Teasabuss Tribe, No. 19, of Buffalo, of which Charles W. Hinson is Sachem. The Massasott Tribe, of Elmira is a flourishing and strong one, numbering some fifty members, and those some of the most worthy men of this city."

The time fixed by Congress for filing claims for additional bounty, expires January 20th, 1874. If there are any who have notified their claims they should do so at once.

A GENUINE HERO.—He lives with a seven miles of Towanda, Pa., and his name is Rogers F. Cox. He had five bullet holes through his left hand, not merely touching the skin and grazing the flesh, but they were shots that penetrated and literally transfixed the hand. We assert there is not a joint from the wrist to the tips of the fingers which is not stiff (anchylosed), as if forged from iron. The wrist and hand and fingers are of no possible use, nay, they are a positive detriment as being in the way.—There are two bullet holes through the left shoulder, both penetrating the large muscles which move the arm and render it an important instrument in voluntary motion.—The shoulder and arm are, therefore, powerless and useless. There is a bullet hole through the large muscle of the left leg—the calf—which transfixed the leg five or six inches above the ankle joint. It passed squarely through the limb in the largest diameter. There is a bullet hole in the breast which must have glanced off from its first direction, for we see only a superficial wound. Then there was a bullet received in the mouth, which tore the lower lip and knocked out all the teeth in the right side of the lower jaw. But the bullet that came nearest the life of this man was one which struck the left side of the neck about midway between the chin and breast bone, tore its way between the windpipe and the stomach tube, and came out on the side opposite its entrance having bored a tunnel through and between those two entrances to the body without doing a fatal violence to a vital organ. These wounds so cursorily described were all received in one battle, that of Murfreesboro, in the State of Tennessee, on the 13th day of July, 1864.—Item.

One of the typical American skippers of the past recently entered the Bay of Rio Janeiro flying a flag which was not recognized by the officers of Fort Santa Cruz. They accordingly ordered him to anchor immediately. Not understanding a word of Portuguese, the gentle captain just screamed out the name of his ship and calmly sailed on. A blank shot fired at him failed to—in the language of Mr. Weller's beautiful ballad—"prevail on him to stop." But he was observed to seize his revolver and instantly fire six successive shots into the air. Then the fort and two shore batteries joined in a duel of solid shot and when at last the reached quarantine still firing his revolver, his ship was in rather a dismantled condition. Then did the Captain of the Port appear and vigorously inquire why he didn't stop. The pleasing motives of that officer may be imagined when the astonished skipper stated that he thought they were shooting the American flag, and that he was doing his best to respond to the compliments with his revolver.

In accordance with the action of the last session, the Twelfth Semi Annual Session of the Convention for the Northwestern District of Pennsylvania will be held in Youngsville, Warren county, on the 12th Tuesday of October, 21st inst., commencing at 11 o'clock, a. m. and continuing at the wish of the Convention. Each Lodge is entitled to two delegates at large and one additional for every twenty-five members, or fraction, (in excess) in good standing; also, all members of the Convention holding membership cards can attend by paying the session dues. The amount of dues from each Lodge represented is two dollars. In case members of the Convention represent the Lodges as delegates no session dues will be expected.

The Postmaster Gen. decides that contractors and mail carriers may carry newspapers out of the mail for sale or distribution among regular subscribers; but when such papers are placed in the postoffice for delivery, postage must be charged and collected. Contractors and other persons may also convey books, pamphlets, newspapers and magazines [not intended for immediate distribution] done up in packages as merchandise, and addressed to some bona fide agent or dealer.

Judge Stowe, of Pittsburgh, in charging a jury recently, held that if a man is going along the street and not annoying people, even though he is intoxicated, the officer has no right to arrest him; further, an officer has no right or authority to order a drunken man home under threat of arrest should the intoxicated individual not comply. He further held that a man would be justified in offering all the resistance in his power to an officer if he was simply intoxicated and not making any disturbance.

We all have a fellow feeling for each other, and it is at no time better illustrated than in these cold mornings when we ask somebody else to get up and build the fire, at the same time quoting the couplet, "Early to bed," &c.

Work has been entirely suspended upon Tacoma, the proposed western terminus of the Northern Pacific Railroad.

ADVICE FOR EVERYBODY THAT COSTS NOBODY ANYTHING.

Lotions and cosmetics make a superficial coating on the skin, give an artificial color easily seen, but are vitally destructive of the color, texture and pliability of the skin itself. Wrinkled, bagged and prematurely old looking exactly described the appearance of those who habitually "paint their faces." If you would have the clear, transparent, healthy and soft tinted complexion which nature gives, free from pimples, tan, freckles or all other disfigurements, use Hand Sapelle—the most effective and fragrant toilet soap ever manufactured. Sold by all dealers at 10 and 15 cents per cake, 10-1w

BRIDGES IN VENANGO COUNTY.—The Citizen says that last week the County Commissioners visited Sugar Creek at Feltzman's Crossing, where they propose to have a bridge erected this fall. They also visited other points on Sugar Creek where bridges were recommended to be built by the grand jury, which will receive immediate attention. We understand the material of the upper French Creek bridge in this city, which is to be replaced by a new superstructure, will be used for the Sugar Creek bridge. A bridge over Oil Creek at McClintockville will also be erected.

THE FAIR.—Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the Second Annual Exhibition of the Venango County Agricultural Association will be held in the Third Ward, this city. If the weather is favorable we anticipate a large attendance, and trust our people will do all in their power to make the fair a success. The grounds are in excellent condition and accommodations for live stock, and all articles entered for exhibition are good. The grounds are supplied with excellent spring water. Admission 25 cents; wagons and carriages 50 cents.—Family tickets, good during the fair, and admitting wagon or carriage, \$5.—Franklin Citizen.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

New York has sent \$7,680 to the Memphis sufferers.

The Emperor William will visit Vienna on the 16th inst.

Base ball at New York yesterday—Marshall, 9; Baltimore 0.

The railway from Bombay to Madras, India, has been completed.

Count Maurice de Flarig, the distinguished French politician is dead.

Twelve deaths from yellow fever in Montgomery Alabama, yesterday.

The panel in the Stokes case was exhausted yesterday without obtaining a jury.

The fifth anniversary of Cuban independence was celebrated in New York, yesterday.

The purport of Victor Emanuel's recent visit to Berlin will not be made public, as reported.

Eight persons were arrested in Boston, yesterday, on a charge of circulating obscene literature.

The Spanish Government has imposed a duty of 5 per cent. on all wines exported after this month.

Hon. Alfred Cummins, Governor of Utah under Buchanan died at Augusta, Georgia yesterday.

The Grand Lodge of the United Order of Odd Fellows (colored) held its session in Georgetown yesterday.

The warehouse of Lowry & McGee, a Fulton, Arkansas, was destroyed by fire last night. Loss, \$40,000.

The police of Paris have seized 22,000 photographs of the Prince Imperial, which were on sale in that city.

The Catholic societies of Boston, yesterday, celebrated the birthday of Father Mathew by a grand parade.

The Union Trust Company, of New York have appointed a committee to consider the question of a speedy resumption.

On account of the admission of Hone, the colored Secretary of State, as a student in the South Carolina University, three of the principal professors have resigned.

During the dull times consequent upon the low price of oil in the lower oil region, the tough portion of society pass their time in a way which is not very creditable.—They had a dog fight between a Pittsburgh dog named "Jim" and a Petrolia dog named "Cesar," on Saturday. Fifteen rounds were fought, and the Pittsburgh dog got chewed up badly, and the Petrolia dog, "Cesar," won the stake of \$100.

The evenings are calm and beautiful, and narrow seated buggies, without robes, are in great demand at the livery stables.—A slow horse, also, is generally spoken for.

In England there were 25,705 coroner's inquests held last year, 18,046 on men. In the preceding year there had been 193 more inquests.

On Saturday night of last week New Castle had another fire. Three or four buildings were destroyed. A gang of loafers, burglars and burglars have their headquarters in that vicinity.

A Mercer county man thinks he has found the daddy of corn ears. It measured ten inches around the top, is one foot long, and contains twenty rows of forty-five grains each, or nine hundred grains in all, weighs two pounds lacking half an ounce.

At the shooting tournament in Meadville this week Harry Pierson, of Meadville, and D. K. Streeter, of Youngstown, each had clear scores. Pierson then bought off his opponent and took the prize. George Woodruff, of Pleasantville, took the second prize; M. W. Clark of Erie, the third; W. Woister, of Meadville, the fourth; and A. W. Ball of Warren, the Landlords purse.

Chief Durrell thinks he has discovered why fires can't be put out in Boston, and has issued an order that all the members of the department shall sign the temperance pledge.

An examination of the latest published list of those to whom Canadian patents have been granted discloses the fact that fully two-thirds of the patentees are residents of the United States.

About a thousand acres were this season planted in cotton in Fresno county, Cal.—The experiment is regarded as successful, the bolls being large and the fibre equal in quantity to the best Sea Island.

Nearly two million of Salmon eggs, taken from California waters, are on their way to the Atlantic seaboard, to be placed in hatching houses on the Delaware, Schuylkill, Susquehanna, and James rivers.

A large cargo of slaves on the way to Majunga, Madagascar, was captured in the Mozambique channel. Proof has been found that a large slave trade is carried on almost under the guns of the Mozambique fort.

One of the gardeners at Balmoral Castle died recently after a short illness. Queen Victoria called the other day on the widow, who has three children, remained in her cottage some time, and before leaving handed her £10.

Later developments indicate that the first suspicion that Captain Hall died from poison was well founded, and notwithstanding the efforts of Secor Robeson to prevent the public from obtaining correct information, the truth must eventually be known.

At the recent county fair in Westmoreland, Penn., a gentleman of undoubted patriotism but of limited geographical information, entered for premium a picture of Patrick Henry delivering his celebrated speech before the House of Burgesses of West Virginia.

Just received at the Petroleum Exchange Hotel the nicest lot of Shell Oysters and Clams ever brought to Oil Creek. A trial will convince you of the fact. They are for sale by the count, plat or quart, or you can fill yourself at the counter. Go and convince yourselves by calling Tom Snowden to open a dozen or two for you on the half shell.

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