

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. ents 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. G. BUNCHARD. 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 McCintock 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, Penna.

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

I. O. of R. M. Minnekaune 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. 108 1/2

To-morrow, Sunday, October 19th, 1873, a new time card goes into effect on the Oil Creek & Allegheny River Railway and Buffalo, Corry & Pittsburgh Railroad. Considerable of a change has been made as will be seen by the synopsis below. The corrected time table will appear on Monday:

Going North—Train 1 arrives at 4:10 and leaves at 4:12 p. m.; Train 3, ar. 6:56 and de. 6:58 a. m.; Train 5, ar 8:50 and de 8:52 p. m.; Train 11, ar 4:35 de 4:37 p. m.; Train 13, ar 10:28 de 10:30 a. m.

Going South—Train 2, ar 1:30 de 1:32 p. m.; Train 4, ar 8:17 de 8:19 p. m.—Train 6, ar 8:53 de 8:55 a. m.; Train 12, ar 12:58 de 1:00 p. m.; Train 14, ar 4:19 de 4:12 p. m.

This comprises all the passenger trains.

POUR.—Yesterday afternoon a riot occurred at the upper end of town. It appears a boy named Stewart Walters was engaged in stoning some chickens belonging to a man known as Jakey the Jew. Jakey ordered the boy to stop throwing stones and to leave his premises, and upon the boy refusing to go proceeded to put him off. The boy had been living with Thomas McHugh, and he thinking undue force had been used on the part of Jakey towards the boy, went before Justice Reynolds and took out a warrant for assault and battery. The warrant was placed in the hands of Deputy Constable Burns, who accompanied by McHugh proceeded to make the arrest. Arriving at the house, Jakey came out and applied a very offensive epithet to McHugh, who took him by the shoulder and pushed him over into the road, whereupon Jakey's wife appeared upon the scene and "hove a brick" at McHugh. The brick struck him on the side of the face and knocked him over. This was the only demonstration made by Mrs. Jakey, but was enough to make a good sized mark on his face. Jakey was arrested and after a hearing was muled in the sum of \$2 and costs, amounting to nearly \$8.

Another barrel of those nice Shell Oysters just received at the Petroleum Exchange.

The weather is pleasant at Tionesta. Our friend Conover, of the Press, enjoys it after this fashion:

No'w's the smoky days of the year, when cider's good, so's whiskey and beer. The leaves are dry, the nuts are brown; petticoats are high, but will soon come down; while we ramble about, and drink for fun, till we don't know our head from an old shot gun.

Fall rains have commenced.

Oil remains at about \$1.25 per barrel at this point.

Justice Reynolds has arrived home. He is looking well and reports having had a pleasant time down in Jersey.

The English have some very curious laws. A London whisky seller lately refused to sell a man a drink, and the man went off and cut his throat. The saloon keeper is now under arrest as responsible for the death. Serves him right.

A London dispatch says Arderivike Castle, formerly the residence of the Duke of Abercorn, has been burned, and many works of art destroyed, including many sketches by Landseer.

A RELIC.—Among the articles to be exhibited at the coming Centennial, in 1876, at Philadelphia, from the county of "old Berks," will be a wagon with lumber that has stood loaded at the same place since June 10, 1822—fifty-one years ago. It is at the village of Hamburg, eighteen miles from Reading, and belonged to John Bailey, an eccentric old gentleman eighty-eight years of age. Having hauled a load of boards into the shed on the then new wagon and letting it stand several weeks, his neighbors suggested that he had better unload the boards, which made him angry, and deciding to attend to his own business, said: "That will not be unloaded as long as I live," and it never was. The iron work of the wagon lays on the ground, and the wheels and boards are beginning to decay. It will be sufficiently preserved to place on exhibition, and has already been secured for that purpose.

The Forest Republican says: We have received a letter from Abraham James in regard to his "spirit well," which will be read with interest by all who are acquainted with the name. The following are some extracts:

I am still drilling at a well for oil, that was commenced in February 1872, and am now to the depth of 1917 feet. It is located on Blyson Run, Millcreek township, Clarion county, Pa., and was located by me, by and through "Spirit Influence," (the same as my first well at Pleasantville, which was the opening of that territory,) and has been conducted throughout by spirit direction; and I am confident, will result in the opening of another new territory, more lasting in its production than any yet known.—Notwithstanding the great depth, I have never wavered in my faith and confidence as to the result.

Yours, &c., A. JAMES. We very much fear Mr. James will be disappointed if he hopes to get oil on Blyson Run. The spirits will go back on him this time.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says the river Neva has risen ten feet beyond its usual height, causing great damage.

Ex-President Johnson has made affidavit to his claim for \$73,000 against the First National Bank of Washington.

One hundred and sixty-five thousand pounds were withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance, yesterday, for shipment to America.

The fight between the Brule, Sioux and Ponca Indians, on the 15th instant, resulted, according to the latest reports, in the killing of twenty.

It is stated that Joe Osburn will never fight any more. He don't feel like it, and besides he's got the fever'n ager.

The race horse Lookout, for which \$6,000 has been refused, is dead.

Base ball at New York yesterday—Bor tons, 25; Athletics, 4.

Marriages are on the increase, for winter is close at hand. Some young people must have read, if not written, the old copy in the oldest copy books we can remember, which read thusly: "Oh how oft it makes one dread to spend a lonesome night in bed."

The most unpopular person in Virginia is the man who demonstrated that kerosene oil will cure a snake bite just as well as whiskey.

The Pittsburgh coal company at Catfish has contracted operations on account of the present stringency in financial affairs.—Instead of orders to the amount of thirty car loads a day, only about seven are required to fill the order. The hands are making only half time at present.

The German Ministry has issued orders expelling all emigrant agents from the German Empire. This has been anticipated for some time, as the Government has been especially interested in the emigration question since the close of the war, and has tried to impede the movements of emigrants.

Five years ago the battle-cry of Cuban freedom was raised in the fields of Yara, and to-day they are still in arms for the separation of the island of Spain and the independence of its people. Chili fought seven years; New Granada nine years; Venezuela ten years; Mexico eleven years, and Peru, the last of all, four years, to achieve their freedom; and hence the length of the contest in Cuba is no proof it will not ultimately be successful. When the bravery, devotion and self-sacrificing spirit of the Cubans are taken into consideration there can be no such word as "fail."

By vigorous enforcement of the liquor law Boston has managed to reduce the number of a bar-rooms to a half of what it was a year ago.

A hero of a new and lofty sort has been discovered on a New England railway train. Infuriated beyond endurance by the rapid and resolute appearance of the pop-corn and candy fiend, he said to him, with an almost unapproachable moral grandeur, that if any more of those persambulating ruffians were deposited about him they would immediately be thrown out of the window or on the floor. Intimidated by his threat, the fiend passed him once nor offered the beguiling maple sugar. But the next time he made his goblin around, the inevitable pop-corn was bestowed upon our hero, who calmly and sweetly flung it to the further end of a long car. A neighbor, wildly emulating this noble conduct, let the "last new novel," gorgeously bound, slide gently off his knee upon an extremely dirty floor. Crushed at last, the pop-corn fiend retreated with a glance of unavailing rage. We mention this as a choice suggestion to Travelers.

Thomas Curtin, charged with the murder of William Johnson, has just been acquitted by a California jury. The ostensible purpose of the trial was to ascertain whether or not Curtin had killed Johnson with malice prepense; its real purpose seems to have been to ascertain whether or not Johnson deserved his fate. It appears that Johnson had seduced Curtin's daughter, and that Curtin retaliated by taking Johnson's life. The innocence of girlhood and the honor of womanhood are things which ought not to be tampered with; but the law defying murder and providing the penalty therefore, makes no exception in cases of provocation; and if this principal of admitting the crime of A as an excuse for the crime of B, were applied to all cases on the calendar, the penal code might as well be abolished at once.

Six yellow fever deaths at Shreveport yesterday.

Rev. W. C. Burdard will give a report of the recent meeting of the Evangelical Alliance, in the Presbyterian Church, on next Sabbath evening. All are cordially invited.

A meeting is called of the citizens of Warren for the purpose of enforcing the Local Option law.

The boys have already commenced laying in their winter supply of hickory nuts and chestnuts to the discomfort of the squirrels.

Janaschek the actress, wears over \$200,000 worth of jewels in one of her plays.—One diamond, which was presented her by one of the crowned heads of Europe, is alone valued at \$11,000.

New York already has "ecumenical shirt collars" as a result of the Evangelical Alliance.

Since 1842, in which gold was first discovered in California, that has produced \$1,380,700,000 worth of the precious metal.

Mrs. Jay Cooke plays true heroism. She promptly relinquishes her dower right to meet the pecuniary liabilities of her husband.

A second edition of the Newton Gas Well is near Parker City. The people of that city are conducting the gas into their stores, and it is also used for illuminating purposes.

Snow to the depth of eight inches fell in the western part of Wyoming and Utah.—The Union Pacific train due at Omaha yesterday, was several hours late, having been laid up by orders on account of the severe storm.

A Nashville man was awakened the other night by a pain in his stomach, and thinking cholera was at hand, he cutched for a bottle of camphor which he kept on the table, ready for instant use, and commenced to apply it with vigorous rubbing to his abdomen. He experienced immediate relief, but was considerably surprised at not perceiving the strong scent of camphor. Suspecting that he might have made a mistake, he lighted the gas and made an inspection, which resulted in the discovery that instead of camphor he had used a bottle of ink.

A Kansas City colored man, feeling pain in his side near the hip, found the prong of a pitch fork protruding half an inch.—The iron was removed by a physician and measured seven and a half inches in length. The strangest part of the story is that the man doesn't know how the prong got there. He says he doesn't remember having swallowed a pitch fork—unless it slipped down at night when he took a drink out of a horse bucket in the dark; and then he thinks he would have felt something scratch when it caught on its passage down, and twisted off a prong. Unless this colored man ran that pitch fork in his toe years ago, and it worked up, his case is certainly

LATEST OIL NEWS.

VICINITY OF MILLERSTOWN.

About thirteen new rigs are going up in the district.

The relief pipe line have completed their line to Sarah Furnace.

The production of the entire district is about seven thousand barrels per day.

A twenty-two thousand barrel iron tank has been completed on the Stewart farm.

A new well owned by D. C. Scott on the Hemphill farm, is doing fifteen barrels a day.

Three new strikes were made on the Dauenbueck farm on Sunday. We are without further particulars.

Chas. Scott struck a well on the Stewart farm last Thursday. It is reported flowing immense quantities of the greasy fluid.

The pipe line which has been talked of from this point to Pittsburgh is soon to be commenced.

About one hundred and fifty-five wells are drilling in the district and forty of these it is believed will be completed within thirty days.

McKinney Bros. tined their No. 4 well on the Hemphill farm, on Wednesday of last week. It started up at one hundred and twenty-five barrels.

The Wyatt Company completed a well on the Adam Stewart farm last Saturday.—It has since been producing considerable oil, but we are ignorant of the exact amount.

The McCullough gas well is being drilled deeper in hopes of finding a larger supply. The gas is to be used in the town for fuel and light.

The Angel well, on the Dougan farm, has been drilled to where the third sand ought to be and a heavy gas vein has been struck. The force of the gas is tremendous.

VICINITY OF MODOC OR SUMMIT CITY.

There is a general falling off of the wells throughout the district.

The production of the district is five thousand barrels a day.

Not less than ten large iron tanks are going up.

There are now 18 flowing, 15 pumping and 2 wells as good as dry in the district.

A well owned by Oil City parties, struck recently is doing about twenty-five barrels.

The Shaw well is another new strike, and is flowing about three hundred barrels.

A new strike on the Harper tract owned by Frank Wright of Oil City, is good for three hundred barrels.

A well was recently struck on the Thomas and Harper tract which is reported at about two hundred and fifty barrels per day.

The Hope well No. 3, on the Troutman farm, was flowing on Thursday of last week at the rate of about six hundred barrels per day.

A well on the Troutman farm, owned by H. L. Taylor & Co., was torpedoed last week and increased from thirty to six hundred. Its production has since declined somewhat.

The Gordon well, owned by our old friend C. D. Gordon and other parties is a new strike in this vicinity. It started up on Wednesday of last week and is a good well.

The Reno Oil Company purchased a well while drilling on the Starr farm, for \$20,000. On being finished it was at first thought it would be dry but we have since learned that it is doing two hundred and fifty barrels.—[Oilman's Journal.]

A case of horsewhipping, took place up Hunter's Run, this morning, of which we bear the following account. It appears that a man living up in that region gave a valentine, one of the scandalous kind, to a little boy, telling him to deliver it to his sister. The boy did so. To-day the young lady, armed with a horsewhip went to a barn where the sender was, and while her brother held the man, she laid the horsewhip over his back. The parties to the whipping have been arrested and the suit will be heard to-morrow.—[Forest Republican.]

A lively verbal warfare is going on between the Winnemucca Register and the Unionville Silver State both published in Nevada. The latter paper, after severely reflecting on the paterality of the editor of the former, says that he is "a hunchback ape who can't write his own name without wiping his nose with his tongue." A cringing, debased, and decrepit wretch, whom, had he even the semblance of a human being, we would kick him publicly through the streets of Winnemucca." We await anxiously the reply of the other man.

Several clergymen have of late been praying very hard for the benefit of the press. We would suggest that editors unite in supplication for the diffusion of intelligence among the clergy.

PURITY OF LIFE.

"A life of honor and of worth Has no eternity on earth— 'Tis but a name: And yet its glory far exceeds That base and sensual life which leads To want and shame.

"The eternal life beyond the sky Wealth cannot purchase nor the high And proud estate: The soul in dalliance laid—the spirit Corrupt with sin—shall not inherit A joy so great."

The following "notis" is a Dutchman's shoe shop, would be good advice for loafers in a saloon printing office, or in any other place:

TOOK NOTIS! "Mebbe you don't petter bad haf rount here ven you don't got some presents, ain't it?"

Gen. Jacob B. Switzer, of Pittsburgh, has been appointed Prothonotary of the Supreme Court of this State for the Western District, in place of Thomas J. Keenan, whose term expires on the 29th of November.

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