Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Pa., Friday Oct. 31

Divine Service.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sabbath School at 12½ P. M. Seats 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. ARCHARD. Sabbath School at 12¼, 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 7½ o'clock, in Odd Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre, Penn'a.

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

I. O. of R. M.

Minnekaunee 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. 108⅜

The Stokes murder case in New York City has ended with the farce of finding the prisoner guilty of manslaughter in the third degree and a sentence to the penitentiary for four years. The Judge, in giving the sentence, told the prisoner that he was sorry that the law compelled him to pass this light sentence upon his guilty head, words that ought long to be remembered by the jury who could bring in such a verdict.—There was just two sides to the Stokes case, He either committed the deed in self defence and was not guilty, or he committed a most foul and fiendish murder. Any other verdict wos a farce and well the judge felt it when he said that he was sorry the law compelled him to give the sentence he did. Jack Reynolds, once after he had committed a foul murder, not so bold and public as the Stokes affair, made himself obnoxious and notorious after he was arrested by declaring to his friends that "Hanging for murder was played out in New York City." This so enraged all New York, both judges, lawyers and jurors, that to give the lie to this stigma cast upon the city they hung the poor devil within sixty days, in order to show the outside heathen what a slander he had uttered upon the fair fame of the city. If he had added that if the man was rich or had rich relatives, in that kind of a case hanging was played out in New York City, he would have been right. Poor Foster, who in a drunken fit and without a moment's thought, struck Avery Putnam with a car hook from which he died, was tried, convicted and hung with railroad haste. No influence could save him, not even the prayers of his wife and children, backed by the petition of the murdered man's wife, asking for a commutation of his sentence to imprisonment for life, was of any avail. He had no money to work the jury and had to hang in order that "travel would be more safe in New York City."—Had poor Foster been one of those kind of murderers like Stokes, who would leave his wife and child standing at the gate while he went and murdered a man, who, as Henry Ward Beecher said of Fisk in a late sermon, "was a benefactor and useful man and with his sterling business qualities" had made the bread, clothed the body and gave business position to the man that had murdered him, and who was his peer in everything pertaining to manhood, and that murder too committed in the interest of a notorious harlot, he too would be living to bask in her kind of sunshine. Let him be pardoned now and give a state dinner with Mansfield at one end of the table, he at the other, with the jury up and down each side, and the table garnished with "thirty pieces of silver," since there is no doubt that was the price paid for such a verdict.

Mr. J. W. Tozer, of Titusville, was in town to-day. He is agent for the sale of Col. Henry's new work on the history of the oil regions and the development of petroleum. We had the pleasure of looking through the work and do not hesitate in pronouncing it the best work on petroleum yet written. Every person should secure a copy of this work.

Livery stable men are getting out and repairing their sleighs.

Snow again this afternoon.

Shall We Meet Again?

Of the many brilliant articles that imimated from the pen of the lamented Geo. D Prentice, we believe the following contains one of the finest pictures of human nature ever written:

"The fiat of nature is inexorable: there is no appeal for relief from the law which dooms us to the dust. We flourish and fade as the leaves of the forest; and the leaves that bloom and whither in a day, have no frailer hold upon life than the mightiest monarch that ever shook the earth with his footsteps. Generations of men will appear and disappear as the grass and the multitude that throng the world to-day will disappear as the footsteps on the shore. Men seldom think of the great event of death until the shadows fall across their own pathway, hiding from their eyes the faces of loved ones, whose living smile was the sunlight of their existance. Death is the antagonist of life and the cold thought of the tomb is the skeleton of all feasts. We do not want to go through the dark valley, although its dark passage may lead to Paradise; we do not want to lay down in the damp grave even with the princes as bed-fellows. In the beutiful drama "Ion," the hope of immortality so elegantly uttered by the death-devoted Greek finds deep response in every thoughtful soul. When about to yield his young existence as a sacrifice to fate, his Clemantha asks if they should meet again, to which he replies:—'I have asked that dreadful question of the hills that look eternal; of the clear streams that flow forever; of the stars, among whose field of azure my raised spirit has walked in glory—all were dumb; but as I gazed upon thy living face, I felt that there is something in the love that matties through its beauty that cannot wholly perish; we shall meet again, Clemantha!'"

The following appeal for aid for the Memphis sufferers by that fearful scourge, the yellow fever, was received by Mr. James Deshler, cashier of Geo. H. Bissell & Co.'s bank. Mr. D. requests us to inform the public that he will receive and forward all monies left at the bank for this most charitable purpose. The appeal comes from suffering humanity for aid and we hope our citizens will respond liberally:

STATE NATIONAL BANK,
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 23, 1873.

DEAR SIR;

The Howard Association of this city to-day issues the following appeal to those sympathizing with suffering humanity everywhere, viz:

APPEAL FOR AID.

OFFICE HOWARD ASSOCIATION,
No. 42 Madison Street,
MEMPHIS, Tenn., October 22d, 1873.

The yellow fever is not abating, and God only knows when it will. Scores of new cases appear daily. Over one thousand are now sick. Our funds will not pay our expenses six days. From the sick and dying the cry of distress and suffering comes steadily and loud. For their sake send us moneyed relief to procure nurses, stimulents and nourishment. We require more now than ever.

Being fully acquainted with the condition of the sick, and their wants, we confirm the statement of the Association.

We will be pleased to be the medium of transmitting any donations that you and friends may make for the purposes named.

Respectfully,
JNO. J. FREEMAN, Cashier.

CARBON OIL CO.—We are happy to learn that the failure of Messrs. Parsons Bros., of Toronto, has not affected the Ontario Carbon Oil Co. This company has however been obliged to shut down for a time their refineries at Hamilton and Petrolia, in consequence of the present depressed state of the foreign market which has fallen 11 cents per gallon during the past year. The amount of refined oil shipped by this company in cans from Hamilton was equal to 2000 barrels per week, and as they produced their own crude oil, as well as refined it, the result has been a depression in the value of their business to the extent of $4.50 per barrel representing a sum of $9000 per week, or $35,000 per month. In consequence of this unfortunate state of affairs they have been compelled to ask for an extension of time from some of their heaviest creditors. The crude oil department will however be carried on as usual under the able management of our enterprising townsman J. D. Noble, Esq.—[Petrolia Advertiser.

Johnny Farrel, who was so badly scalded at his well on the Wood farm, a night or two since, we are pleased to learn is slowly recovering again.

The Constitutional Convention has about concluded its labors, and will adjourn sine die on Friday. The instrument will be submitted to a vote of the people in December.

TOOK NOTIS.

Taking into consideration the dullness of the times and the low price of oil, not speaking of the scarcity of money, I have concluded to reduce the price of **BENZINE** delivered at the wells to **$1,00** per barrel. My motto is live and let live. Pay me a call before going elsewhere and I will satisfy you as to quality and price of Benzine. Old stand Railroad track on Fonrth Street.

W. A. LOZIER.

Petroleum Centre, Oct. 23, 1873.

LIST OF PERSONS DRAWN TO SERVE AS PETIT JURORS, FOR TERM OF COURT COMMENCING THE 4TH MONDAY OF NOV. 1873.—Pleasantville, Frank McDonald
Cranberry, Wm Stroup, Thos McCoon
Allegheny, F W Howarth, W H H Forge, Thos Howarth, Jr
Sandycreek, John Boles, Rob't Graham, Jr.
Rockland, John Lusher, James Witherup Irwin, Sam'l Kuhns
Sugarcreek, Sam'l Deets, Geo Fleming, Robert McCauley, William Kunkle, Daniel Fleming
Scrubgrass, Wm Curry
Pinegrove, Wm Steck
Frenchcreek, Raymond Adams, W S, Adams, John Stone
Richland, Wm Haggerty, John Linn
Franklin, James Black, F W Mitchell
Rouseville, H S Davis, E J Wright.
Clinton, W T Hovis
Oakland, Geo Turner
Plum, Grandson Grove
Oil City, John Coyle, J McCollum
Jackson, Hiram Shaw
Emlenton, Leslie Sloan.

PATRONAGE, THAT PAYS.

That noble institution, the Public Library of Kentucky, has permanetnly established its prosperity by the three gift concerts it has already given under its charter. It now boasts of a building that cost $210,000, with a Library of over 50,000 volumns, and a magnificent cabinet. The fourth grand gift concert for its further endowment will take place December 31, and at this concert $1,500,000 cash is distributed to the ticket holders, the highest prize being $250,000, and scaling down to prizes of $50, which is the smallest sum given. As there is a prize to every fifth ticket, it is easy to see that the patronage of this concert is a patronage that pays, there being great chances of great gains, and only small chances of small losses. Hon. Thos. E Bramlette, late Governor of Kentucky, is the manager, and tickets and information may be obtained by addressing him, at Public Library Building, Louisville, Ky.

The CROWN WRINGER advertised in this paper, is claimed to be the cheapest and best in the market. Washing Machine dealers and the country trade are offered special inducements. We recommend a trial. See advertisement in another column.

As if it were not enough to take up so much space in the Titusville papers to chronicle every movement of the Citizen's Corps, Rev. J. M. Bailey will preach a special sermon to that renowned body of warriors on Sunday evening. The Corps will attend in full uniform, with the mounted staff on foot, but as the preacher is a Universalists he will put them under fire.

The Odd Fellows Lodge at Tionesta, at their last regular meeting, voted to contribute $50 to suffering Memphis, and the same has been forwarded on its destination. The Lodge was started about one year ago, with twelve members. It numbers now about sixty.

Geo King's team of horses ran away down Stevenson Hill, this afternoon, smashing the wagon pretty badly. The horses feet and legs were badly bruised up. They were stopped near the Lake Shore block.

To-night is Hallowe'en.

To preserve chestnuts—put them into a box or bag and sprinkle them with salt—This will not only keep the worms out of them, but will prevent them becoming hard.

An additional through passenger train has been put on the A. V. Railroad, in consequence of increased travel.

Tuesday evening Gus. Spencer, of Petrolia, went to his well with a lantern. Loss about four hundred barrels of oil.

WEEKLY OIL REPORT.

There is not being anything in the way of "big strikes" at present, conversation is mostly turned to the suspension of the Carbon Oil Company. Speculation is indulged in as to the cause of the failure of a company that was generally supposed to be able to dictate the situation, no matter what befell "lame ducks" Superior management wont always bridge over difficulties, and overcome the pressures of a depressed market. The present season has witnessed the suspension of many manufacturing companies supposed to be above reproach. No doubt a little time will again see most of the suspended companies in a better position, when experience may prove advantageous.

Considerable activity prevails upon the Durham creek territory. The new Lancaster well, between the old Shepherd well and Perkins & Cooley well, south of ravine, is being tested with liberal yield. Mr. L.'s perseverance deserves success, and it is hoped he has secured it. Upon the side of the hill, Messrs. Collier & Woodward are busy drilling their new venture. A little to the south Mr. Sanson has secured two acres of the Murray territory, and is preparing a rig for another venture. In the ravine the McDougall well is being tested, but as yet is troubled with fresh water. To the north of the ravine the new Lancey well is down 460 feet, and will soon be tested. The second well of Messrs. W. H. & J. McGarvey, west of the celebrated Murray well, is improving. Messrs. Vantuyl, Yorks, & Ben Smith, are preparing for a well upon the hill, south of the Ingersoll wells. Messrs. Perkins, Cooley & Gleeson propose putting down another well upon the five acres belonging to their first well.—Mr. McDonald is getting ready for a fourth well a little nor' west of his No. 2. Western Co. well No 5 has been torpedoed and considerably improved.

The "Great Eastern" well of Messrs. Perkins & Cooley, upon lot 19 in the 11th, east of the village, is down 350, and favorably progressing.

Messrs. Stein, Peat, Johnson & Gurd, have their rig up opposite Marthaville School House, and Messrs. Ward & Lambe are progressing upon the Lambe territory, Messrs. Peat, Johnson & Gurd are busy with a new venture a little to the east of Mr Drader's "Great Nor-western" Mr. Callanan is preparing for another well upon his property. The new venture of Messrs. McCaughey & Wood, upon lot 2 in the 11th, is under way.

GAS PUMPS AND TAR BURNERS.

A good deal of attention is given just now to the application of gas pumps; great success is stated to have resulted from the trial in some cases. Quite a number of tar burners are at present in use; Mr Jno Anderson has one attached to the large boiler of Jones & Ritchie, King territory, that gives satisfaction. The tar is heated by steam in an iron tank, run to the fire box, and an air pipe appears to render good service. Mr A. is experimenting upon locomotives at St. Thomas with the expectation of introducing his burners for tar or oil to be substituted for wood or coal. This, certainly, would be a great advantage to the oil business, if not to the railroads.—[Petrolia Ontario Advertiser.

REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF COAL.—The Pittsburgh Commercial of Saturday says:

"We understand that, in view of the financial pressure, the decline in iron, the falling off in demand for coal and the general reduction of wages, the coal operators propose to reduce the price for mining, and to make a corresponding reduction in the price of coal to consumers."

Consumers will not growl at the prospect of reduction. Everybody is ready for cheap coal as well as cheap oil. Let it come.

The Herald says, save one contribution of fifty dollars from a secret society, Titusville has done nothing for the relief of Shreveport and Memphis.

Drinking water in Modoc City is very scarce and is sold at forty cents a barrel.—As a consequence very little oil is used with Modoc whiskey.

Some men in Pleasantville were firing at a mark on Saturday last, when one bullet went through the walls of a cooper shop near by, and struck a man in the breast.—Luckily the force was nearly spent in passing through the walls and the bullet was turned aside by the breast bone, and made but a slight wound. Shooting accidents never will cease to happen until penalties are affixed to them by law.

Philadelphia retail dealers are trying to attract trade by advertising to give silver in exchange to purchasers.

There is no school this week. The teachers are attending the Institute at Oil City.

OUR MOTHERS,

who were the best and tidiest housewives in the world—excepting our grandmothers!—took especial pride in the possession of rows of tinware that glistened like a polished mirror. Every article about their house susceptible of polish, including the brass knocker, was regularly brightened up until it fairly glistened. With their primative materials such as Bath brick, emery, rotten stone, etc., it was a serious labor, albeit one of love. Now-a-days, however, their daughters use Sapolio, and in one hour can polish more articles and do it better than they could in a whole day. If you wish to excel your mothers in the brightness of your kitchen ware, use Sapolio. 30-1w

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Blacksmiths,

AND

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Petroleum Centre, Pa., Jan. 2.—tf

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With quacks and imposters, who will not alone fleece you, but in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred dose you with balsam copaiva calomel, &c, making your case worse. Resort at once to the only soverign remedy that can be relied on, Dr. McCallum's Root Blood Searcher, which banishes from the system all form of private diseases and virus in the blood; also, seminal weakness, loss of energy, loss of memory, and all nervous diseases resulting from self abuse, which destroys both mind and body, rendering marriage impossible. Warranted. Price by mail (securely sealed, no exposure) $1.00 per package. Each package makes a quart of Blood Searcher. Williams Medicine Co., Pittsburgh, Pa Box 1236. Pamphlet Free.

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"It is ingenious and will meet the wants of every matron in the land."

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FRANKLIN DIVISION.
SUNDAY, October 27,

WESTWARD TRAINS.

Oil City.	Franklin.	Jamestown	Cleveland
7.00 a m	7.34 a m	9.31 a m	2.29 pm
.17 a m	10.00 a m	.....	.... p m
9.35 p m	3.25 p m	5.30 p m	..... p m

EASTWARD TRAINS

Cleveland.	Jamestown.	Franklin	Oil City
7.45 a m	12.25 p m	2.16 p m	2.50 pm
.....a m	.....	11.30 a m	12.5 p m
.....	6.30 a m	8.25 a m	9.07 a m

Dyspeptics regain their health, appetite and strength, chills and fever are broken up, the torpid liver and kidneys are roused to action and the suffering rheumatic rapidly recovers, all by the purifying and reviving influence of Dr. McCallums Root Blood Searcher. Try it. Price, by mail, $1.00. Warranted. Williams. Medicine Co., Box 1236, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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