Pet. Centre, Pa., Blonday Nov. 3

Givine Service. METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 116 P. M. Sabbath School at 1216 P. M. eats free. A cordial invitation extended to all.

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after forenoon service.
Prayer Meeting and Sabbath School Teacher's Meeting Tuesday evenings of



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

Regular meeting nights Friday, at 7 o'clock. Signed. S. H. KOOKER, N. G.

S. H. KOOKER, N. G. J. C. E. HARTMAN, A Seey, 20 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 756 o'clock,
in Odd Fellow's Hall, Petroleum Centre,

James S. White, R. Wilson, M. W.

Minnekaunes Triue No. 183, L. O. R. M. of Petroleum Centre, meets every Thursday evening in Good Tempiar's Hall.

"Touncil fires lighted at 7 o'clock.
H. HOWE, Sachem.
C. L. JUKES, Chief of Records.

Gold at 1 p. m. 10814

EFA large tweive hundred barrel tank. los cated on the side hill of the Egbert farm. nearly opposite this place, and filled with water, collapsed about 10 o'clock last night allowing a small innundation of water ran down the bill which for a short time threatened to flood several tenements on the flats. The tank was swept away by the porce of the water. The loss is quite heavy and falls on the Maple Shade Oil Comp. a.s. Judging from the running to and fro of the ple r siding in the vicinity of the tank roon as the explosion occurred there must have been some apprehension that Gabrier had blowed the first blast appouncing the end of the world. We are not advised as to whether any praying was done or not.

We are pained to learn that Mr. John B. Farrell, who was recently so severely burned at one of the Stevens wells on the Hess farm, is much worse. His symptoms are in some respects considered dangerous.

Last night occurred the heaviest wind and rain storm of the season. It caused some of the wooden buildings about town to stake from stem to stern.

We learn that several derricks were blown down during the prevalence of the heavy gale last night.

A general dectine in prices is taking place, including those of coal, bardware, meats, labor, whisky, and other necessaries -Forest Press.

Gurss we will emigrate to Tionesta at once. It must be a paradise or the nearest point to it, where the above commodities can be procured so cheap.

Fresh buckwheat flour at Schonblom's lower store. By calling there Ambrose Weaver will tell you what he knows about buckwhent.

Friend Davis, of the Central House, bag recently purchased a novelty in the shape of a trap gotten up for practicing at abouting on the wing. The trap is sprung with a long piece of string in the bands of any gentleman of the party, and immediately an mitation pigeon made of tin is sent white zing into the air forming an excellent mark for the sportsmap. The contrivance is a very ingenious one.

Quite a number of our amateur shots were down on the Daiz II farm to practice with this contrivance, this afternoon,

Justice Reynolds was called upon this morning to perform the pleasing task of "uniting two lond bearts that beat in unison together, two souls that were as one." Chas. C. Brennen to Olive Sage, both of Plumer. Mr Armstrong was witness of the auspicious event. The Justice gave the newly wedded couple his blessing, and rumor both it that both he and the witness sa luted the blushing bride.

A new time table went into effect on the Oil Creek Railroad, today. There is considerable change.

A woman suffrage political club has been organized at Lawrence, Mass. Similar clubs, are to be formed in all the large cities and towns of the State.

Mrs. H. B Stowe at her home in Florida has kept open a school of fifty scholars day ring the summer at her own expense.

etroleun Centre Daily Record, Illuminating Gas vrom Crude Petroleum.

As you are happy to chronicle any new facts let me make a statement of what has been done at our mill at Passaic, N. J., since January, 1871, when we had works erected for use, by Dr. W. C. Wren of Brook tyn, N. Y., for the manufacturing of illuminating and heating gas from crude petros leum. The works are the invention of Dr. Wres and we have ever since been jusing them to light our mill (which we run all alghi) with the following results:

First, we use crude petroleum (which is quoted at 6 cents per gailon) and make a fixed permanent gas of eighty candle power. Secondly, we have no difficulty in making the gas. Thirdly, we make, on an avery age, more than four thousand feet of gas of the above candis power from one barrel of crude oil, which we use through a burner consuming one foot and three tenths per hour. The barrel of crude petroleum, at the rate of tea cents per gallon, costs us, when made into gas, seven dollars; that is, is practice it costs us seven dollars for four thousand feet of petroleum gas that goes farther and gives us a better light than seventy dollars worth of coal gas at three dollars and a baif per thousand. The above is the result in actual practice.

If we used coal gue, we should want -five feet and six feet burners for the same light we now get with a one foot and a one and three tenths feet burnez. We have now had the works in steady and constant use for more than two years and a half. This is no "statement by the Suventor," but plain indisputable fact by a consumer.

The retort for mak ng the gas is a simple contrivance, and is not given to choking with carbon, as you seem to think probable It is so simple and easy to run that we take any man out of the mill and set him at It

REMARKS BY THE EDITOR OF THE SCIENCE TIFIC AMERICAN.-We are glad to make public the excellent practical results here given for the Wren process, which is evil dently a discovery of much importance -The apparatus employed involves, we believe, the employment of a series of chambered retorts, through which the oil is alow? ly passed - [Scientific American.

NEW EXPLORATION OF THE AMAZON RIVER .- Among the the most recent ex' ploring expedition is that undertaken during the present year for the exploration of the Amazon river, by Professor James "Orton, the well known naturalists of Vassar College. Our latest advices from this enter. prising traveler are dated August 19, 1873. at which time he had paddled one thousand miles up the Great River, taking notes and making surveys and observations en route. He had in immense distance yet to go ber fore reaching the Cordilleras, which he ex preted to cross, and reach home via Pana-

The letters of our correspondent are full of interest concerning the marvelous region which he is exploring. He speaks of unbroken forests covering a space eleven hundied miles in diameter, and other equally pstonishing revelations of Nature -[Scient tille American.

Don Pelugio Laborin of San Diego Connty, California is said to possess the power of curing hydrophobia by ejecting saliva on his fingers and rubbing them on the wound. As he has performed what appear to be mary vellous cures sceptics are forced to the oninion that he chews some potent herb and applies its jaices in the manner stated.

The chestout market is lively in this town. Five cents a glass and \$4 a bushel

A society called the Society of Rejected Lovers is one of the institutions of Nashville, Tenn. The qualifications for membership is set forth in the name. A member soing back to a lady who has rejected him s instantly and ignominiously expelled .-A member marrying is put on the retired list, but is eligible for active membership a the event of his becoming a widower.

Oh, what is the panic? the little boy said, As ble mamma was tucking him enugly to

The panic my love, was the mother's re-

While a tear of untoned distilled from her And she stiffed a sob, at the risk of her

stair, It is a beast that has cost me a new polony

It is soon time for the opening of country singing. "Lay down the shovel and the hoe; take up the fiddle and the bow." The winter affords lots of lun, and if desired, a large amount of instruction at those good old fashioned instituitons-singing schools.

To people who own shot guns the following warning from the St. Louis Democrat will prove pleasant reading: "Our experience and the history of past eighteen centuries incline us to the belief that no matter how well you treat a shot gun, or how you bring it up, it will beeg the stuffing out of you the very first time it gets a chance."

TOOK NOTIS

Taking into consideration the satisfy you as to quality and price of Benzine. Old stand Railroad track on Fonrth Ftreet.

W. A. LOZIER. Petroleum Centre, Oct. 23, 1873.

A Man-Woman.

A correspondent of the Episcopal Register gives the following sketch of a remarkable woman he met in Northumberland county; Some few miles from Shamokin lives a character that those maniy people, the "woman's rights woman," should certainly know, as she is decidedly the champion. This sin/ gular being is some 72 years of age and is altogether the most manly woman I ever met with. A tenant at will, she has occupied for many year the farm she cultivated with per own hands and the assistance of hired isborers. She owns about 42 head of cattle, some of which I saw, and are really tine stock. She lives alone in her log-cabin ber only companions being two shepard dogs and her chickens many of the latter sweep ing under the sam e roof with her, she calling them her children, and training them up in the way they should go, so as to cause the least inconvenience to ber, in their habits of life. She is utterly fearlese, and with her dogs and gun, which she can use with unerring aim. Lize Schuler is a coaracter that few would care to trifle with Imagine if you can a women of medium s zdressed in man's clothes, with a soft hat variously indented upon her head, no cost barefooted, and you have this champion of "woman's rights" before you. Wrinkled though her race is by storms and treals of many years, the strength and activity o this mangwoman of a weaty-two is some what wonderful. Vomble is hardly the term suitable for the expression of her powe ers of talk, and few men, however disposed for such perfection may boast themselves superior to ber on the score of profanity -Much and varied has been my travel, and strange sights and objects have I seen and met with, but the Hermit of Susmokin with her supernatural powers of longue and must far surpasses anything of my previous ex-

The large weils in the vicinity of Modec having failen off much to production of tate the town aiready begins to show signs ordersy. The dread destroyer has laid his heavy band upon the young grant and he trembles in his boots. Millerstown and Greece City are close at hand for the success of Modoc. Business centres at these two places. There are several firms in Modoc who are doing a good | business, but as a rule, outside of the traffic in whisky, but tittle is being done. Many of the hustily constructed buildings were built on the credit system, and the Sheriff is now proprietor of the most of them. Several months ago we made the prediction that Modes would be the Pithole of the lower were about right -East Brady Independ,

A stranger stepped into a grecery in East Brady yesterday, called for a cigar, and threw down a ten cent silver coin in pays ment. The proprietor picked up the money. examined one side of it closely, turned it over, looked at the other side, tried it with his teeth, sounded it on the counter and scraped it into the till with a heavy heart. It was the first specie payment made in

The Hon. A. M Waddell, of Wilmington North Carolina, has added another nation to the candidacy for the discovery of Ameri ica. He contends that five centuries before Columbus the Irish settled North Carolina, and called it Great Ireland. This, if proved will throw the claims of the Welso, Japa, nese and Norsemen into the shude.

Of all the pies beneath the skies to bring surprise to bungry eyes of weak or wise, no kind of pies the want supplies, and binds the ties waich anger tries when storms arise, and with surmise our taste digests, and who denies the great surprise of pumkin ples.

The snow and rain has knocked the postry out of the mellow October days this year.

Oil News -At last facts are beginning to penetrate the trains of oil men notwith, standing the still futife attempt of some editors to keep up the cry of over-producdullness of the times and the time The time is coming when they will be forced to open their eyes to a truth which low price of oil, not speaking and they hanted for as differently as they of the scarcity of money, I did to opportunities it speculation in oil. have concluded to reduce the they would not now be compelled to sell price of BENZINE delivered punishment is the just consequence of a violation of physical laws, and the same m . 7 be said of those who violate the laws rel. My motto is live and let of trade to accountlate topinges in six live. Pay me a call before months. The operator, instead of adopting a policy which would keep before the progoing elsewhere and I will placenstantly a fair estimate of the out production darry, quietly winked at every exaggeration, until he has at last rearly rules

ed himself by his own Louistiness.

We never believed there was the oil produced that speculators and others interests ed in forcing the price of oil down, said there was Exaggerated estimates were sent all over the country, and these estimates were based upon a few wells that started off with say a thousand barrels each of daily production, but which have gradnally fallen to one-half if not below it .--Sometime ago we heard that a careful estimate was being made of all oil produced in Butler county daily, and in connection with it the suggestion also that as soon as certain iron tanks, then being erected, were finished those estimates would be published .-Probably they are approaching completion, or they may be finished and nearly full of oil, for the rumor comes in no questionable shape that "there is a great falling off in the production." Be this us it may, there is no just reason why oil should be as low as \$1.00 per barrel. Last week there were transported from Philadelphia to Europe 2,381,871 gations of reflued on and 393,672 gallons of crude. This in one week and to a market said by speculators to be gintted with oil is most wonderful! In the fade of such facts how can men be so blind to their own interest? If they continue so they deserve to be punished.

We have nothing to regard to new enterprises, new wells, or proposed developments. Our absence from home prevented us from obtaining any information -[Butler Her/

An Alegant Shipwreck.

Arga off Colombo, has already been telegraphed to the press. The details of the distater are quite exciting. It appears not cording to a letter to the London Times of be 4th inst, that the captain, to save fuct sought anchors pe outside the port.

"The pilot let go the anchor too near a well known rock, and the seat tumbled in as it knows how to tumble off Galle in the sonthwest monsoon, caused the chain cable to part, and the vessel to surge heavily on the rock. The work of destruction was rapid; those on board were startled by the metalic sound of the rippling fron ; sides of the steamer as her buil was torn in shredby the prereing rock. There was no time to be lost. The vessel was test fitting; and to save passengers' luggage was hopeless --They had barely time to escape into the boats as the seas came tomoting over the sides sweeping everything before them. carrying away one poor invalid sailor, and bursting open the cages and dens of an extensive menage; ie on board, going bome for the Zootogical gardens. The escape and striking out smid 'the waves of a growd of tigers, elephants, etc., and their roars and screams added to the terror of the wretched passengers. One elephant managed to swim ashore as did one of the inhabitants of oil region. We are sorry to say that we the adjacent coast, who are said to be living to a state of siege, not daring to venture outside their barricaded doors.

> A five gallon keg of whiskey unloaded from the express car upon the depot platform, one day last week, came in contact with the steps of a passenger car as it was passing, and effectually busted. Many were the earnest, a delong glances bestowed upon the dipplings by the crowd fetauding by .-The passengers came to the car windows, and seemed to enjoy the susphuric acid odor that permeated the atmosphere. But that whiskey had 'woodbined,' so to speak, and some expectant souls were thus suddenly bereft of the enadry "nips" they boped to enjoy. The loss of the liquor will doubtless be the gain of the consigner, and gladden our friends of the Derrick, who will thereby be enabled to chronicle "Another accident on the Valley Road!"-[Emlenton Mea

There are some things which human nature cannot bear. A Connecticut giri lately attempted to commit suicide because her sister had better clothes than bers.

Two things a man can't do successfullycarry a parasol so that it throws its shade to the right place while going around the corner; and use a fan with any certainty as ried life her busband had knocked her down to where the "gentle zephyra" will blow.

OUR MOTHERS.

who were the best and tidiest housewire in the world-excepting our grandmot bers! -took especial pride in the possession of rows of thoware that glistened like a po had ed mirror. Every article about their bouse susceptible of pollsh, including the brase knocker, was regularly brightened up until it fairly glistened. With their primative materials such as Bath brick, emery, rotten time, etc., it was a serious labor, albeit one of love. Now/ardays, however, their doughters use Sapo io, and in one hour can poli-n more articles and do it better then they could in a whole day. If you wish to excel your mothers in the brigh ness o your kitchen ware, use Sapollo,

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The insane hospital to be er. ected for the northwestern contties," of which Clarion is one, is to be built above Warrer, within six miles from the New York State line. That's a little too much northwestern for us.

Now comes the dreary November.

It rained last Sunday without fail.

A woman stated to a London magistrate recently that during her five years of mais-115 times.

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of resisten-