

Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Pa., Friday Nov. 14

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. etc. free. A cordial invitation extended to all.

Rev. T. GRAMM, 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 McClellan 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 R. M.

Minnekaunce 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, Sacem.

C. L. JUKES, Chief of Records.

Gold at 1 p. m. 108 1/4

"The Ever Faithful Isle."

The cruel massacre of General Ryan and other Cuban patriots captured on board the Virginia, has aroused the people of this country to a high pitch of enthusiasm in favor of the cause of the patriots in Cuba. A wildly enthusiastic mass meeting of Cuban sympathizers was held in Philadelphia on Thursday night, when means were subscribed and volunteers proffered to aid the patriots. If the government would just keep its hands off, but a short time would elapse before there would be an army of 100,000 volunteers from the United States on the soil of Cuba. Meetings have already been held in other large cities besides Philadelphia, and other meetings are called. There has been no such war excitement in this country since that morning in April 1861, when the news was flashed over the country that the rebels had opened fire on Fort Sumpter. Yesterday's dispatches announced that the authorities of the United States were determined to proceed to the prescribed constitutional limit in the matter. This probably means that a little stir will be made about the affair, some show of resentment, and then the whole thing will be allowed to drop. One thing we may rest assured of, there will be no war between this country and Spain. A large majority of our people no doubt deeply sympathize with Cuba in her struggle for independence, and this fresh outrage committed by the Spanish authorities will lead to practical expressions of that sympathy in the shape of means to carry on the struggle against Spain. The title which years ago was conferred upon Cuba by the Spanish government of "the Ever Faithful Isle," has now about as much significance as the title of "Defender of the Faith,"—conferred upon Henry VIII., of England by one of the Popes, when that monarch wrote a book against Luther's doctrines—had after the apostacy of that monarch. Cuba is no longer faithful to Spain. She aspires to be free and independent among the nations of the earth. The insurgents have held out against the power of the home government for a period of more than six years, nearly as long as our fathers were engaged in the war for independence. Our government ought long ago to have recognized the Cubans as belligerents, and to have accorded the rights belonging to them.

A new time table goes into effect tomorrow on the Oil Creek & Allegheny River Railway. The principal changes are in trains 5 and 6. Train 5 will leave Cory 6:30 a. m. and arrive at Titusville 7:58, and train 6 will leave 9:45 p. m. and reach Cory 12:05 p. m. Since November 2d these trains have run only between Titusville and Oil City. Train No. 4 will arrive and leave 6:45 and 6:55 p. m., and not 7:02 and 7:10, as formerly. The trains do not connect any better with the river division than before: It is impossible for any passenger between Cory and Oil City to go to Tidoute and back the same day. Train 46 leaves Titusville 5:46 a. m. and reaches Oil City at 8:20 a. m. Train 53 leaves Oil City for Irvineton at 7:30 a. m.

The Berlin Government yesterday made a further payment of \$3,000,000 for bonds of the United States funded loan.

A curious circumstance is mentioned in a Canadian paper of a boy named Kings-ton, who recently lost his arm by a threshing machine at Adelaide. After the limb had been amputated and buried the boy complained that the hand was cramped, causing him extreme pain, and that if it was not disinterred he could not recover.—The limb was accordingly disinterred, and the hand found to be firmly shut together. During the operation of opening the hand the patient evinced great agony, and afterwards declared that he felt relieved from the sensation of cramp. The case is a strange one, but we believe it is not without precedent in medical annals.

Another Fourth Sand Strike.

PETROLIA, NOV. 14.

No. 4, Patton farm, tested to-day in the fourth sand, is flowing at the rate of 1,000 barrels per day.

War with Spain seems more likely every day. This morning's report has later dispatches from Havana, which give full details of the cold blooded assassination of the balance of the crew of the steamer Virginius, one hundred and eleven in number.—The government should vindicate the insult to our flag at once by declaring war against Spain. The government of Spain, as every one knows, is the most rotten and corrupt one under the sun, and as such have always sought to impose on other powers.—For the past fifty years American citizens have been frequently murdered by so called Spaniards and no redress given. Now that last outrage has taken place let the government punish the cowardly villains and declare Cuba independent.

Everybody is engaged in fixing up their stoves for winter.

In the case of Mrs. M. J. Hull vs. W. A. Hull, for the custody of their child, the Court rendered a decision this morning, at Franklin, giving the custody of the child to Mr. Hull without any bonds whatever. This is the third time the case has been tried in both former trials he having been compelled to give bonds not to remove the child from the county. Nearly all our citizens are conversant with the facts in this case. Capt. Hull's many friends will be rejoiced to learn of his success in gaining this suit.

We hear reports this afternoon of the striking of an enormous well near Petrolia, which is said to be flowing 200 barrels per hour.

Today the weather is quite pleasant and balmy.

Reports came over the Western Union wires of the striking of an immense spouter near Petrolia, which was said to be yielding at least 1,000 barrels per day. Oil declined in consequence to 37 1/2 cents per bbl. at the wells. Operators may well say—Whither are we drifting?

The probabilities are that it will go lower still, and the sooner the better, say we.

END NEAR AT HAND.—The Second Adventists are making preparations for the termination of all things earthly, most abruptly and unpleasantly, the middle of this month, and they say there is no fooling about the date this time.

One of Titusville's promising young men expects to join Sharpley's minstrels. There are a number of people in that town who will be doing "end business" before spring—back end of somebody's house asking for cold victuals.

J. B. Mauch and J. Booth, two of the Polaris crew have arrived and will proceed to Washington immediately by the direction of the Secretary of the Navy. The remaining member of the expedition, Mr. Bryan; astronomer, is expected here next week.—The crude boat on which twenty-five of the party put to sea, and constructed from the steam launch of the Polaris, will be sent to Washington.

The Eastern Extension, A. V. R. R., was opened for business between Red Bank Junction and Reynoldsville on the 5th inst., and trains now run regularly stopping at all intermediate points and connecting at Red Bank with Buffalo express and night express north and south.

There are four tribes of Indians remaining in Delaware, aggregating a total of sixteen persons.

A peach tree, in Missouri, on being transplanted to a new soil, is reported to have taken to producing white plums.

The business men of St. Louis have become convinced that the true way to neutralize or destroy the bad effects of the panic is to advertise liberally in the daily newspapers of well established influence and circulation. Just as true of Petroleum Centre.

Ira E. McVay, banker, of Pittsburgh, failed last week.

List of Traverse Jurors drawn for the first Monday in December, 1878:

- Cranberry—Thomas Kelley. Clinton—Richard Major, Perry Hovis. Canal—E. C. Stevens, Lorenzo Mart, James Singleton. Cherrytree—Charles Brudd. Franklin—P. V. Kincaid, P. W. Raymond, David Smith. Irwin—Wm. Hovis, Richard Henderson, Jackson—James Brown, Thos. Rogers. William Alexander. Oilcreek—John Gregg. Oakland—Godfrey Gahring, P. G. Haslet, Philip Runinger. Oil City—W. J. Kramer, Wm. Hesson, R. H. Mitchell, John Hill. Plumer—Frederick Coats. Pinegrove—Michael Stover, Nicholas Hermitine, Peter Goodman. Plum—Reynolds Welsh. Rockland—John Hetzler, David Jolly Chas. Cox. Sandycreek—John Manson, M. L. Welton. Scrubgrass—Wm. Perry, Jr. Sugarcreek—J. W. Carter, Jesse Booher. Utica—A. J. Vanslyke.

The Tichborne case has been adjourned until November 10th.

The American Iron and Steel Association will meet in Philadelphia on the 20th inst., to consider the present financial situation.

Testimony in the Tweed case has begun.

A great famine prevails in Greenland.

The London papers hope the United States will have revenge for Cuba's little indiscretion in putting the Virginian passengers out of the way.

When religion gets out as far as the tongue, self is very apt to slip down into the boat.

Milton says the hearts of men are their eloquence. The reason there is so little depth and fervour of heart.

The divorce of Brigham Young's seventeenth wife has its comic side. It is the first public protestation of a lady against being called young.

Outstanding legal debts, \$362,471,611

Cincinnati refuses to repeal the Sunday liquor ordinance.

M. Bischoffheim, a prominent banker of Paris, died yesterday.

The dead body of a servant girl was yesterday forenoon found frozen stiff, in a wagon, on Carroll street, Brooklyn. It was apparent she had been outraged.

Twenty inches of snow was reported on the Cross Cut Railroad yesterday.

The worst policy in the world is an insurance policy that has lapsed.

Geese for dinner are more apt to be found on the chairs at the table than on the plates.

Labor Reform is no doubt an excellent thing, but we have more confidence in something which will reform those who don't labor.

Characters are formed like icicles drop by drop. If the particles of each are pure, the whole will be a thing of symmetry and beauty; if foul, the whole thing will be ugly and repellent.

Even the sun is cutting down the number of hours for a day's work and is only doing about ten at present. Suppose her satellites should strike!

The illustrated papers this week are full of the question of the day, and the situation is depicted so graphically that the whole story is told at a single glance.

The weather now a-days is aptly described by an old woman as "drefful our sartin."

Kate hates mustaches so much hair makes every man look like a bear. But Nellie, who no thought could fester, Birt out, the more like bears the better. Because, her pretty shoulders shugging Bears are such glorious chaps for hugging.

The work on the bridges is progressing rapidly.

Indian summer has vanished, and now you may expect winter.

Bret Harte's name is connected with a forthcoming ten thousand dollar serial story for Scribner's.

Bishop Gross the Catholic bishop in Savannah, has been dangerously ill, but is now getting better.

The Lowell Courier remarks that no man can consider his literary reputation secure nowadays until he has written a comic almanac.

A lady in Troy carries a sawdust baby when she rides in the horse cars, thereby fooling the gentlemen and getting a seat every time.

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 Fourth Street.

W. A. LOZIER.

Petroleum Centre, Oct. 23, 1873.

Mr. James Carter, of Oakland township, killed a calf a few days ago which weighed two hundred and eighty pounds when dressed. He has more calves just as good.

A widow once said to her daughter. When you are my age, it will be time enough to dream of a husband." "Yes, mamma," replied the thoughtless girl, "of a second yne." The mother fainted.

Now that he is dead, how cruel it is to insist that the late John Stuart Mill should have ground an organ rather than become the expert that he was on the piano.

This month workmen have five pay days, and clergymen will have five working days.

This is the nearest approach to winter yet.

The Creek is filled with floating ice.

A good many of our citizens are putting in apparatus for burning benzine.

Miss Mary Howard will run on the anti monopoly ticket of Sangamon county, Ill., for superintendent of schools.

Experience and observation have taught men that it is hard to quit chewing tobacco hard to drink liquor and not be intemperate hard to keep from eating too much; hard to pay your debts; hard to resist temptation; hard to believe a man when you know he is a liar; hard to love your enemies; hard to turn the other cheek when struck; hard to borrow money of a friend when we need it but harder than all to go to heaven without paying the printer. Send in your back pay.

Dissolution Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned carrying on business at Petroleum Centre, Pa., as Refiners of Petroleum under the name style and firm of Fairfield, Preston & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

T. D. FAIRFIELD.

D. H. PRESTON.

Petroleum Centre, Oct. 20, 1873.

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AND

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I have rented the store formerly occupied by H. Christie, corner of Washington and First and laid in a new stock of the purest and best

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THE MARKET AFFORDS

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Pet. Centre, Dec. 17,