A VERY QUIET BABY.

George Washington Fenton drove the ox team at Armstrong's Mill. He was a cadaverous looking individual, and he mointained the dignity of labor by as little familiarity with it as possible. He had an extensive family, and as they would eat, he had to shift somehow to feed them. When the lacteal fluid was surreptitiously abstracted from the neighbor's kine, or when a farmer went to harvest his sweet potatoes, and found himself minus the tubers, the Fenton's were making cottage cheese or feasting on roasted Carolinas. One bright cold day Mr. Walker slaughtered a fat pig and hung it up in the smoke-house. Next morning it was gone. Walker and his son John found Fenton at home, and in his wife's absence, rocking the cradle and singing: "Hush a by baby." The object of the visit was made known. Fenton, with a hemmorrhage of words, protested his innocence and bade them search the house.

"I would accompany you, he added, in a hushed voice, fearing to disturb the baby, "but if the little one wakes he will howl like a trooper."

Walker, would not search without his presence.

"John can rock the cradle until we return," he said.

John seated himself at the cradle and rocked diligently. After a thorough but fruitless search, Walker returned and found John still rocking and the baby still sleeping. Fenton thanked the latter profusely for his services as nurse, and the neighbors departed. When alone Fenton executed a war dance by way of rejoicing. He had stolen the pig, and expecting the call, had laid the porker in the cradle as a substitute for a baby, covering it up very nicely indeed. John had quietly rocked the object of their search, while his father was seeking it. In the meantime the Fentons had roast pork and apple sauce for dinner.

The pendulum seems to have swung back again, says the New York *World*, John Stuart Mill, being dead, has spoken of religion in a manner which has shocked those of his disciples who believed that he did not believe in God, and who accepted his supposed belief as the reason for their own infidelity. Prof. Tyndall has repudiated the construction universally placed upon his language at Belfast, and has declared that he did not mean to assert either that there was no God, or that God, if he existed at all, was only a molecule. Mr. Fitzjames Stephen has called especial attention to the fact that he is of the opinion that the weight of evidence is in favor of the hypothesis that there is a God, who is very wise and exceedingly powerful, but who, in Mr. Fitzjames Stephen's belief, is not altogether benevolent. And to crown all, Professor Huxley, to the infinite grief of some of his former admirers, has come forward to say that he must not be numbered among "fatalistic materialistic, or atheistic philosophers."

A recent visitor at Santa Barbara, California, saw among the number who were sitting in front of their stores one whom he recognized as a former acquaintance.

"Hallo, Jones," said our visitor, "what brought you out here?"

"Climate," replied the Santa Barbarian.

"How do account for the rapid growth of this place!"

"Climate."

"You all seem to be sitting around; what do you live on?"

"Climate."

"What makes you grow so fat?"

"Climate."

"Well, how will they bring the railroad into town over these mountains?"

"Climb it."

"Everything goes wrong," says an Illinois farmer, wiping his eyes. "The grasshoppers cum, the hired man broke his leg, wife died, the barn burned, and I've rid for three days and can't find a woman who wants to marry.

A short-horn steer was butchered in Detroit recently which weighed 4,110 pounds alive, and yielded 3,000 pounds of dressed beef. This is believed to be the largest animal ever slaughtered for beef on this continent.

Gen. Sherman says that there need be no dispute about his religious faith; for it can be given in a few words. Says he: "I believe that if people only act half as well as they know how, God will forgive the balance."

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The click of the telegraph is heard in Jerusalem.

Allegheny Valley Rail Road.

Oil Creek & Allegheny River Railway, and Buffalo, Corry & Pittsburgh R. R.

ON AND AFTER Monday, February 2, 1874, trains will run as follows:

STATIONS.	Northward, No. 53	No. 3	No. 1	Southward No. 2	No. 4	No. 52
	am	pm	am	pm	pm	pm
Pittsburgh		2:20	7:20	10:05	3:00	
W Pen Junc		4:02	8:55	8:30	1:20	
Kittanning		4:50	9:43	7:45	12:32	
R. B'k Junc		5:46	10:36	6:20	11:40	
Brady Bend		6:00	10:53	6:00	11:25	
Parker		6:43	11:35	5:20	10:35	
Emlenton		7:05	12:00	4:48	10:10	
Scrubgrass		8:12	1:10	3:52	9:19	
Franklin		9:05	1:56	3:05	8:25	
Oil City	7:00	9:45	2:33	2:15	7:45	8:00
Oleopolis	8:00		2:49	12:12		7:33
Eagle Rock	8:17		3:00	11:45		7:23
Tionesta	9:05		3:26	10:57		6:56
Tidioute	10:28		4:15	9:23		6:09
Irvineton	11:45		5:00	7:45		5:20
Rouseville		10:05	2:55	1:52	7:28	
Titusville		11:10	3:50	12:53	6:25	
Corry			5:10	11:15		
Mayville			7:00	9:47		
Buffalo			8:55	6:05		
	a. m	p. m	p. m	a. m	a. m	p. m

Trains run by Philadelphia Time.

J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen'l Sup't.

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DEPART.

Southern express 5.20 a m; Pacific express 2.40 a m; Wall's accommodation No 1, 6.30 a m; Mail Train 8.10 a m; Brinton's accommodation 10.20 a m: Braddock's accommodation No 1, 5.10 p m; Cincinnati express 12.35 p m; Wall's accommodation N 2, 11.51 a m; Johnstown accommodation 4.05 p m; Homewood accommodation No 1, 8.50 p m; Philadelphia express 3.50 p m; Wall accommodation No 3, 3.05 p m; Wall's accommodation No 4, 6.05 p m; Fast Line 7.40 p m; Wall's No 5, 11.00 p m.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9.05 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10.05 a. m. Returning leave Pittsburgh at 12.50 p. m., and arrive at Wall's Station at 2.10 p. m.

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Allegheny Valley Rail Road.

ON AND after Monday June 1, Trains will run as follows—(Philadelphia Time):

Trains leave Oil City for Pittsburgh at 2:15 p. m. 8:20 p. m. and 8:35 a.m. arriving at Pittsburgh at 10:00, 3:40 p. m. and 6:10 a. m.

Trains leave Pittsburgh for Oil City at 7:20 a. m., 1:00 and 8:30 p. m., arriving in Oil City at 2:33 a. m., 8:15 and 8:05 p. m.

Trains leave Oil City for Buffalo at 2:45 p. m. 6:20 p. m, arriving in Buffatlo at 8:55 p. m. 1:10 a. m.

Trains leave Buffalo for Oil City at 6:05 a. m. and 12:25 p. m. arriving at Oil City at 2:00 p. m. and 8:05 p. m.

All trains given above run through from Pittsburgh to Buffalo and return, without change of cars. Trains run on Philadelphia time, which is 20 minutes faster than Pittsburgh time. The time at Buffalo is L. S. & M. S R'y time which is 28 minutes slower than Philadelphia time.

Oil City accommodation leaves Brady's Bend at 6:40 a. m. arriving in Oil City at 11:50 p. m. Leaves Oil City at 5:05 p. m., arriving at Brady's Bend at 9:15. p. m.

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Bennett,	10.38 "	3.28 "
Woods	10.30 "	3.18 "
Prathers Mill	10.24 "	3.10 "
Pithole City	11.06 "	2.50 "

TRAINS SOUTHWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 1.	No. 3.
Pithole City,	8.40 a m	1.20 p m
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Woods	8.56 "	1.56 "
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