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Petroleum Centre Daily Record.

Pet. Centre, Thursday, April 8.

A. E. FAY, Editor.

Time of Closing Mails.

P. O., PETROLEUM CENTRE, PA., JULY 27TH, 1868.

Until further notice the mails will arrive at and depart from this office as follows:

ARRIVE.

South and East, via. Irvineton, 10.18 A. M.
South and West, " Meadville, 5.18 P. M.
North and East, " Corry, 2.55 "

DEPART.

South and West, 8.45 A. M.
South East and West, 2.30 P. M.
North East and West, 10.00 A. M.

H. E. BLACKMON, P. M.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7½ o'clock P. M.

REV. J. T. OXTOBY, Pastor.

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Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sabbath School at twelve o'clock M. Seats Free. A cordial invitation extended to all.

REV. C. M. HEARD, Pastor.

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Mass at 10½ a. m.
Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 4 p. m.
Catechism at 2 p. m.

JAMES DUNN, Pastor.

The State Medical Association of Erie, hold their next convention at Erie, on the 9th of June.

Isaac B. Gara has been nominated by the President as Postmaster at Erie, and H. C. Rogers for collector of Internal Revenue, for the same district.

The Christian Commission of Pittsburgh are endeavoring to obtain an organ for the jail, to be used at the Sunday services.

A bill has passed the House at Harrisburg finally authorizing the receivers of the Petroleum and Venango Banks to lift the bonds deposited with the Auditor General for security of note holders, the receivers having given the proper security.

ADJOURNMENT OF CONGRESS.—The House resolution, fixing April 6th as the day of adjournment of Congress, has been changed by the Senate to the 10th inst., in which action the house concurred.

J. Wolf intends moving his Jewely and Tobacco store into the Sherman House, which has been fitted up in superb style.—Mr. McGrone goes into the same building with his boot and shoe store.

THE Boston Post says: There are full half a dozen women in Boston who publicly ride the velocipede. They display quite as much skill and more grace than do men.—This is not strange—women, muscularly considered, are not so different from men as some people suppose.

Collins' Minstrels held forth in Rouseville last evening to a crowded house.—They give another entertainment at the same place this evening, will perform in Oil City on Friday and Saturday evenings, and will be in Petroleum Centre the first of next week.

Petroleum Centre, Pa., April 8

We, the undersigned, beg leave to return our thanks to the citizens of Petroleum Centre for the valuable assistance rendered to us during the fire of last evening.

H. E. BLACKMON,
WM. P. HART.

OIL CREEK.—It is reported that the Philadelphia & Erie railroad managers have obtained control of the Oil Creek railway, and the Cross Cut trains will not be allowed to run on their track, nor will any oil for Buffalo be allowed to be taken for the Cross-Cut road, but must go by the way of Erie.

IN New York, forty years ago, a maiden married a rich old fellow of sixty, expecting him soon to die and leave her his money. Last week the wife died, aged fifty-six, leaving a husband aged one hundred, and four children to mourn her loss.

Two of the members of the jury which convicted Twitchell have made an affidavit under the belief that the Court commanded them to return a verdict in half an hour.—They add that the impression was general among the jury that they had no other course to pursue but to return a verdict of guilty in the time specified by the Judge, who, it seems, said to the jury "the Court will wait half an hour for the verdict."—We presume the same "intelligent" jurors would return a verdict in three minutes if the Court expressed an intention to "wait" only that length of time upon their decision.

The Mormons are making porcelain and with great success.

Destructive Fire in Petroleum Centre!

THE LAKE SHORE HOUSE TOTALLY DESTROYED.

SEVEN BUILDINGS BURNED.

Families in Numbers Without Shelter.

LOSS FROM TEN TO TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS

At about eight o'clock last evening, a fire broke out in the small tenement house adjoining the Lake Shore House. The building being a woolen one, was soon completely enveloped in flames, and but a short time elapsed ere the entire Lake Shore Block, composed of seven buildings, was a mass of burning debris.

The first building, in which the fire originated, was occupied by two families, named Spencer and Wadsworth: They had no time to remove their goods, and in consequence loose nearly everything. The families had to make their exit from the burning building on short notice. The house was owned by Mr. Bragg.

Next was the Lake Shore House, kept by Samuel Vickers, who had only been in it a short time. The building was the property of E. H. Kennicut. In this house was a large number of boarders, a number of whom are loosers to a greater or less extent, as but little was removed from he burning building. This building being plastered, burned rather slow, which enabled families in the adjoining buildings to remove the most of their goods. A portion of the household goods in the Lake Shore House, together with some liquors and other stock, were saved, but the proprietor is a heavy looser, the larger portion of his furniture having been destroyed.

Adjoining the Lake Shore House was the Oakland House, owned by Mr. Jennison, and kept by Mr. Greenwell as a boarding house.

Next was the house of John Lammers insured for $400 in a Wheeling Company, adjoining which was the boarding house of Mrs. Keplar, and adjoining this was another boarding house kept by Mrs. Maloney, and the last building in the block occupied by Mooney, were all destroyed. The furniture or the largest portion of it was removed from the last mentioned buildings, but in a damaged condition. The losses will fall heavily upon several of the unfortunate families, and they have the sympathy of the community.

It was only through the greatest exertions that the house of Mrs. Jamison, in rear of the Lake Shore House, was saved. Citizens labored with determination, and by the aid of wet carpets laid upon the roof, and constant pouring on of water, her house still stands, damaged, however, to some extent, by heat. We have witnessed many fires, but never have we seen citizens lend a helping hand more readily than last evening, in saving property from the devouring element. They are entitled to a great deal of credit, and the suffering families heartily thank them for the valuable service rendered. Such exertion put forth with plenty of water at hand, and the fire never could have went beyond the building where it first originated. In yesterday's RECORD we spoke of the plan now being agitated to some extent, of running pipes from the spring on the McCrea farm to our village to which hose can be attached in case of fire, and water can be carried to any part of the town, by a proper placing of the hydrants. At present we have no facilities for putting out fires, our engine being nearly or quite worthless, and we may postpone action in the matter until Washington street is laid in ruins by the flames, as it is evident that should a fire break out in Washington street, it would be next to an impossibility to save a building.

In the fire last evening seven buildings were destroyed, and a number of families are without homes to-day, as tenement houses are a scarce article in Petroleum Centre.

Every mail from Havana continues to bring advices of the terrible barbarities perpetrated there, many of them too horrible to commit to public print. Both parties have for some time been committed to what is now called the retaliatory practice of shooting all prisoners, although it is evident that it was first begun by the Spaniards.—Such has too often been the practice in the country south of us, and it has become a general belief that it is an indispensible feature of their race.

A white man recently took out a license in Wilmington, South Carolina, to marry a colored woman.

THE NEWS.

Wisconsin proposes to abolish the grand jury system.

Queen Victoria still wears the deepest mourning.

Three concise rules for velocipede riders: straddle, paddle and skedaddle.

Portraits of Secretary Fish's children are said to be sardines—little fishes done in oil.

San Francisco juries refuse to mulct newspapers in damages of libel.

About 26,000 immigrants arrived in New York in March.

General Mower has taken command in Louisiana.

A "Ku-Klux-Klan" has been started in Ireland.

The Atlantic is still making rapid inroads on Atlantic City.

They have an "Air Cure Establishment" in New York.

The New York Revolution wants married women to retain their maiden name.

"Ladies are requested not to smoke in this room" is the notice in one of the Paris cafes.

Miss Kellogg makes her notes redeemable only in gold, and two hundred and fifty dollars a night at that.

Queen Victoria meditates publishing two more books upon the Scotch Highlands.

Bengal is a nice place to live in. It has seventy-seven public holidays annually, besides Sundays.

Laconia, New Hampshire, was recently astonished by a shower of small fish during a rain storm.

Doings in the State Legislature.

In the Senate yesterday, Mr. Wilson introduced a bill for final adjournment April 15.

In the House, Mr. Webb, of Bradford, called up the Senate supplement to the July act of 1867, allowing the Court to order new lists for deficiencies in the jury wheels. Passed finally.

Mr. Nicholson called up the bill allowing the present and future county surveyors to act till successors are duly qualified. Passed finally.

Mr. Nicholson also called up the Senate bill relative to lateral railroads, authorizing parties to abandon their construction and make equitable settlement, applicable to Beaver, Washington and Fayette counties. Passed finally.

Mr Clark, of Warren, introduced a bill authorizing a statement of rights consolidated in the merger of railroad companies, due notice to be given stockholders.

The bill authorizing election of a Board of Licensers in Titusville passed finally.

The bill authorizing railroad companies to subscribe to the stock of improvement companies passed finally, with Schuylkill county exempted from its provisions.

The bill authorizing the appointment of a police force in Petroleum Centre was passed.

Mr. Graham called up the bill authorizing the congregation of convicts in the Western Penitentiary for labor, learning and religious services passed.

The Registry bill, with an additional section specially providing for Philadelphia, passed second reading by a strict party vote.

Extensive Tunnelling.

Undersea tunnels are attracting the attention of English engineers and in addition to the projected tunnel under the English Channel between Dover and Calais, it is now proposed to unite Scotland and Ireland by a tunnel, running from a point on the northeastern coast of Antrim, Ireland, to Glenstrone, Scotland, passing through the high rocky peninsula called the Mull of Cantyre. The total length of the tunnel is estimated at fourteen miles three furlongs. This ground through which it would have to be dug, it is asserted, is exactly suited for tunneling operations, and sandstone for lining it can be held in any quantity on the Irish side. It is proposed to construct the tunnel for a single line only, the extreme depth being twenty-one feet, and the clear width at the level of the rails fifteen feet. Three lines of rails, to accommodate wide and narrow gauge carriages, however, are to be laid. The time estimated for completing the tunnel is about six years, and the cost $21,350,000. To pay a dividend of five per cent, the road should earn $210 per mile per week.

There are in Massachusetts about seven hundred colored Free Masons, who have seven flourishing lodges in existence. They have never been acknowledged or recognized by the white Free Masons of Massachusetts, and have for a long time been trying to secure what they term their rights. The Masonic publications are discussing the subject, and so is the Grand Lodge (white) of Massachusetts.

The Ohio river at Louisville has been rising at a very rapid rate for several days. The water on Friday reached the sidewalks on the lower wharf, and it is feared that the inhabitants along the levee will soon be driven from their quarters by the approaching flood.

An exchange thus qualifies its praise of antiquity: "Old things are sometimes better than new, and sometimes are not. As for instance, an old friend is the best whereas an on old corn isn't. Old wine is best; an old house isn't. Old cheese is 'the thing,' but an old wife isn't.

Local Notices.

CANARY BIRDS, male and female, new stock just received, at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.
Also a fine lot of imported English Gold Finches.

SASH, GLASS AND DOORS, LARGE Stock, at the Furniture Store. Mar27.

FOUR FOLD LINIMENT,
Genuine, for sale wholesale and retail, at
A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

Through false representations, Mike Buckley is obliged to discontinue business for a few days; hoping his friends and customers will have patience and remember him, he remains the public's servant,
MIKE BUCKLEY
Petroleum Centre, April 5, 1869. 1w.

To all Whom it May Concern!

Take notice, that we have the sole and exclusive right for five years from November, 1868 to make, put up and sell, in the United States, WALLACE'S IMPROVED MAGIC BALM, under an assignment and purchase from S. G. Wells patentee, and that we will enforce the law rigidly against all persons who shall make, put up, and sell said Balm without our consent.
W. W. DUNKINS & CO., Franklin, Pa.
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At the [illegible] opposite the [illegible] head a large and fine [illegible] and Groceries, [illegible] figure [illegible] A. D. Cotton & Company [illegible] 1m.

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WINDOW GLASS!
A large assortment, all sizes, at A. D. Miller & Co's.

BUILDING FOR SALE NEAR THE LAKE SHORE HOUSE.
Enquire at the Jamestown Clothing Store. feb8-tf.

WALL PAPER!!
Just received a large stock of Spring patterns, at H. C. JANVIS' FURNITURE STORE. m3.

PAINT, WALL, WHITEWASH & SHOE BRUSHES, a nice stock just received at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

Lost!

On Thursday, Feb. 25th, 1869, a smooth built rat and tan pup, without collar. Whoever shall return the same to the subscriber will be liberally rewarded.
feb26-tf N. H. PAYNE.

Carpets, of every quality and description, at REYNOLDS, BROOMHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre street, opposite the P. O., Oil City, Pa.

SWEDISH LEECHES, wholesale and retail, at A. D. MILLER & CO'S DRUG STORE.

BURTON'S TOBACCO ANTIDOTE; DON'T CHEW, as an antidote for Tobacco, and DR. JOHNSON'S AROMATIC ANTI-TOBACCO COMPOUND, for sale at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

Crockery—For all kinds go to REYNOLDS, BROOMHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre street, opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

A. D. MILLER & CO., Druggists, are agents for the celebrated "B. H. Cigars," manufactured by the American Whip Co. Try them.

THE best place in town to get a pair of Boots made of the best stock that will wear well and warranted to fit, is at J. A. Hunter's Cash Double Boot Shop, Washington Street, Petroleum Centre, Pa. Give him a trial. sept9-tf.

Hardware—A large assortment of which is being closed out at reduced rates at REYNOLDS, BROOMHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre St., opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes.—A large assortment at REYNOLDS, BROOMHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre Street, opposite the Post Office, Oil City, Pa.

PAPER AND ENVELOPES at A. D. MILLER & CO'S.

The best CIGARS in the market are the Buffalo Favorites, manufactured by Walker & Rave—Sold at the Drug Store of
A. D. MILLER & CO.

A GREAT SUCCESS.—"Brick" Pomeroy's new Daily in New York City is one of the greatest and most successful newspaper enterprises of the country. His new weekly "*Pomeroy's Democrat*" is increasing in circulation a thousand copies per day. Send for sample copies to *M. M. Pomeroy, Printing House Square, New York City.* mch12

Dry Goods a large stock at REYNOLDS BROOMHEAD & CO'S, No. 11 Centre St., opposite the Post office, Oil City, Pa.

"ALISMA."—It is not often that we have the time to spare, or the inclination to notice any of the thousand and one preparations sold throughout the country, each, as it is claimed, being a sovereign cure for one or more of the ills that flesh is heir to. Indeed, we have frequently wondered that people ever died at all, or grew old even, when, by a small outlay they could furnish themselves with something which would keep disease at bay, and defy the assaults of time! Concerning the efficacy of one of these remedial preparations—and one which has become celebrated of late—we can speak from personal experience, and conscientiously say it is good. We refer to "Alisma," an article for restoring and preserving the hair, manufactured by Messrs Seward & Bentley, Chemists and Druggists, No. 199 Main Street, Buffalo.—Buffalo Commercial Adv. No slow sales for Seward's Cough Cure. A. D. MILLER & CO., Wholesale and Retail Druggists, Agents for Petroleum Centre, Pa. feb17.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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BUTTONHOLE OVERSEAMING

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This Machine is warranted to execute in the greatest degree of perfection, all kinds and varieties of Sewing, Hemming, Felling, Cording, Tucking, Braiding, Gathering and Sewing on, Quilting &c., that can be done by any other machine now before the public.

This Machine stands to-day without a rival, in its celebrated Overseaming Stitch, Embroidery on the Edge, and Button Hole and Eyelet Hole making in all kinds of fabric.

One of these Machines can be seen at the room over A. D. Miller & Co.'s Drug Store.

J. G. COFFIN,
mch15. Agent.

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Good place to get the worth of your money is at the NEW FLOUR AND FEED STORE AND LUMBER YARD of L. M. STERNBURG & Co., where there is always a

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To their own interest, and wish to deal with men who do business on the square, will find it to their interest to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, and see what we can do for you

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our line of business. All Orders and teaming promptly attended to. Do not forget the place, OPPOSITE THE ROCHESTER HOUSE, WASHINGTON STREET,

Petroleum Centre, Pa.

Feb13-tf. L. M. STERNBURG,
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